WEATHER FORECASTS

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Duke of York Will Lead Scottish Bride To the Altar Today

Thousand Decorative Experts in London Work With Feverish Speed to Complete Finishing Touches to Gala Settings for Wedding, Which Strikes Popular Chord Throughout Kingdom

TWO MILLION PERSONS WILL WITNESS GREAT PROCESSION

LONDON, April 25.—When Prince Albert, Duke of York, leads Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon to the altar in Westminster Abbey tomorrow, he will have the blessing of the whole British Empire. His union with the young, unostentatious girl from the Scottish uplands has struck a popular chord throughout the Kingdom, equalled only by Princess Mary's marriage to Viscount Lascelles. It is universally hailed as another bond between the Crown and the people.

Superb Wedding Gowns

Great Britain's most talked of and most envied girl spent the last evening of her single life in perfecting herself for the supreme part she will play on the world's stage tomorrow, in trying on her superb wedding gowns. This afternoon she added 19 pairs of silver, gold and silk slippers and sandals to her wondrous trousseau.

Perfects Future Home

The Duke of York spent the last day of his single existance under the paternal roof discussing final details of the wedding with the King and Queen. Latar he called on his sister, Princess Mary, and wished her many happy returns, for today was her birthday, and inspected the house which he will occupy with his bride after their honeymoon.

Today was no less memorable for the Duke than his wedding day will be, for the King honored him with the treasured Order of the Thistle, which is held by only a score of other Britons, and he was appointed Senior Grand Warden of the United Grand Lodge of Freen Masons.

Decorate Thoroughfares

London worked with feverish speed tonight to complete the finishing touches on the gala settings of the wedding. A thousand decorative experts did their best to adorn the principal thoroughfares with brightest raiment, but their efforts were marred by the persistant rain and gloom which has envelopad the capital for the last 24 hours.

Two Million Spectators

Contractors were busy tonight stretching great tarpaulins over the grand stand and pavilions, anticipating the continuance of wet weather. It is estimated that not less than 2,000,000 persons will witness the wedding procession.

Strong cordons of detectives have been organized to thwart the sinister activities of smartly dressed men and women in the role of pickpockets, who will inevitably be attracted by the wedding.

Hon. P. C. Larkin, Canadian High Commissioner and family have sent to the bride as a wedding gift a gold purse studded with diamonds and sapphires.

Record Majority In British House

LONDON, April 25.—The House of Commons tonight, after two days of debate, which has been characterized by interruptions on the part of small sections of Laborites, who came into frequent conflict with the Speaker, passed the second reading of the Government's Housing Bill.

Previously the House defeated a motion for the rejection of the measure by a vote, 340 to 140. This is the largest majority thu government has yet secured, and was received with loud ministerial cheers.

PROTECT STOCKMEN

BILL TO AMEND LIVESTOCK ACTS BEFORE OTTAWA

Progressive Member Seeks to Safeguard Farmer Against Failure of Cattle Commission Men

OTTAWA, April 25.—A bill to amend and consolidate acts respecting livestock was considered in the House today and will be taken up again later.

Among other things, the bill provides that a commission man selling livestock must deposit any moneys received for the same to a separate account and not disburse the money except in accordance with regulations made by the exchange and approved by the Minister.

Lost Purchase Price

Robert Forke, Progressive, thought these regulations very necessary. Recently, he said, a Winnipeg firm which had been regarded as reliable had failed, and a number of farmers had lost the purchase price for some carloads of stock. Hon. S. F. Tolmie moved an amendment which, he said, was designed to appear as a clause at the end of the bill and provided that in "every case where, in the opinion of a veterinary inspector duly appointed in accordance with the provisions of the Animals Contagious Diseases Act, a contagious disease of animals exists or is expected to exist, the Animals Contagious Diseases Act shall prevail as against this act or all or any other acts relating to livestock or livestock yards."

Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, said he would leave the bill in committee and consider the amendment.

Members Fight Change In Naturalization Act

Clause Abolishing Preliminary Investigations for Action by Department Under Fire

OTTAWA, April 25.—A sharp opposition again marked discussion in the House today of proposed amendments to the Naturalization Acts of 1914 and 1920, and the amendments went over for further consideration. One clause in the amending bill was especially under fire—a clause which abolishes present preliminary investigations by call judges of applications for naturalization and substitutes action by the Department of the Secretary of State direct. Hon. A. B. Copp said he was quite willing to delay progress for 48 hours in order that honorable members might fully study the proposals.

BRITAIN DEMANDS REPLY TO CHARGES

To Ask Soviet to Explain Acts in Which Subjects Have Been Victims

LONDON, April 25.—The British Government proposes to address a serious communication to the Russian Government in regard to the series of acts committed by the latter in which British subjects have been the victims, the House of Commons was informed today by Mr. Ronald McNall, Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs.

Mr. McNeil made his pronouncement while answering questions referring among other things to the recent confiscation by the Soviet Government of the trawler James Johnson and the execution at Petrograd in 1920 of I. F. Davison on "trumped up evidence."

OLD RESIDENT DIES

NANAIMO, April 25.—Mr. Thomas Harrison, a resident of Nanaimo for thirty years, died here tonight after a long illness. He leaves a wife and two young children. Harrison used to be one of Nanaimo's best baseball players and was an ardent huntsman and fisherman.

FOREIGNERS' RIGHTS IN TURKEY DEBATED

Allies at Lausanne Conference Demand Restitution of Income Tax Collected During War

LAUSANNE, April 25.—The question of privileges for foreigners in Turkey, which, the Turks assert, was abolished in 1914, was raised in the political committee conference today when the Allies demandad restitution of the income taxes collected from foreigners during the war; the Allies insisted that the levy was illegal, being in violation of the capitulation rights of foreigners.

The unilateral declaration of the Turks in 1914, the Allies held, did not modify the situation. It was decided to reserve the income tax question until the entire problem of capitulations comes up for settlement.

Russia and Straits

Ismet Pasha brought the Russians back into the discussion by announcing that if any question arises modifying the Straits question the delegates should be invited back to Lausanne. Ismet said the Turks were satisfied, however, with the provisions relating to the Straits arranged at the previous conference, and had no intention of bringing the subject up again, but the Angora Government felt the Russians should have been afforded a chance to sign the document if they so wished.

Sir Horace Humbold, head of the English delegation, informed Ismat that the Russians had been notified they would be welcome if they desired to change their attitude of opposition to the provisions shown at the last conference.

Medicine Hat Fire Cost Estimated at $275,000

MEDICINE HAT, April 25.—Two hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars is the conservative estimate of damage done when the warehouses and offices of the Imperial Oil Company and the Prairie City Oil Company burned here yesterday.

Firemen battled from afternoon until early this morning with the flames.

OIL DERRICKS SHATTERED

BURKBURNETT, Texas, April 25.—Five residences and six oil derricks were blown to bits by a terrific wind which visited the Humble Oil Lease, two miles west of Burkburnett, and about 30 miles northwest of Henrietta, last night.

ACQUIRE TIMBER AT HORNE LAKE

Seattle Lumbermen Come Into Possession of 12,000 Acres in Big Deal on Vancouver Island

OVER 200,000,000 FEET OF STANDING TIMBER

Purchasers Are Undecided Whether to Put Up Mill on Island or to Haul Logs to Seattle

VANCOUVER, April 25.—One of the largest timber sales that the Canadian Pacific Railway has made in several months on Vancouver Island, has just been completed. A group of Seattle lumbermen came into possession of 12,000 acres of timber land at Horne Lake. There are more than 200,000,000 feet of standing timber on the property, some of it of the very finest kind, in patches rivalling the well-known timber at Cameron Lake.

The purchasers are acquiring other limits and it has not been decided whether to put up a mill on the island or to haul the logs to Seattle. It is likely that the latter course would be adopted.

Tide water on the east side of the island can be reached by a spur line about ten miles in length or the company may decide to connect with the E. & N. and ship logs over the railway down the coast to a favorable point for dumping into the water.

PORT ANGELES TO HAVE FLOAT HERE

POST OF AMERICAN LEGION WILL PARADE

Maytime Frolic Committee Assured of Hearty Assistance From Across the Straits

Among the various letters which have come in from neighboring cities and towns in answer to Mayor Hayward's invitation to attend the Maytime Frolic is one from the Port Angeles Commercial Club, stating that it understands that the American Legion post of that town will have a float in the Frolic parade, and promising that it will do all that it can to have a large representation here from across the Straits.

"We will do all we can to send a large delegation of Port Angeles people to your city during the Frolic," the letter reads. "Port Angeles appreciates the many friendly visits of your good people each year, and it is our desire to do all we can to the end that the people of the two cities may become better acquainted and better friends.

"We are assured of better ferry accommodation this season and that should also help to take many automobilists from our city to enjoy your wonderful drives and beautiful scenery, and to bring many from Victoria to visit the wonderland to the west of this city. This will build up other acquaintances which will be good.

"It is our information that the American Legion post here will have a Port Angeles automobile float in your parade. We shall be pleased to have any advertising matter you may have and to see that it is posted, and will gladly co-operate in any way possible."

Also among the latest replies to the Mayor's invitation is one from the Mount Vernon Commercial Club, which says in part: "At our next regular meeting we shall endeavor to formulate some plan whereby we can send a delegation to your city on at least one of the days designated."

PRESIDENT ORDERS PATROL BOATS OUT

Will Search Fur Seal and Sea Otter Waters of North Pacific for Violators

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Six patrol boats of the Bureau of Fisheries have been directed by executive order of President Harding to patrol the waters of the North Pacific frequently in the fur seal and sea otter area and search any American vessel suspected of violating the international convention providing for the protection of such animals.

The boats are the Widgeon, Murre, Auklet, Petrel, Elder and Kittiwake, and they are directed to seize suspected vessels and the crews and bring them into the most accessible port of Alaska, California, Oregon or Washington for trial. The nations party to the conventions are the United States, Great Britain, Japan and Russia.

National Line Raises Freight Rate on Coal

PRINCE RUPERT, April 25.—Freight rates on coal from Northern Alberta mines to Prince Rupert have been raised one dollar per short ton. Dealers here were notified to this effect by the Canadian National Railway today.

TANKER HITS PIER

HONOLULU, April 25.—The new Japanese tanker Ehiriya crashed into a pier while docking today and damaged the landing stage, besides denting her bow.

TRADE SERVICE TO HELP CANADA

Intention of British Board of Trade to Make Dominion's Interest Equal With Those of Motherland

USE CREDIT JOINTLY PRESIDENT SUGGESTS

Success of Empire Depends Upon Looking to Whole Field, Sir Philip L. Graeme Tells Canadian Club

LONDON, April 25.—It is the intention of the British Board of Trade that the British trade service shall serve Canadian interests equally with the interests of the Motherland, so Sir Philip Lloyd Graeme, President of the Board of Trade, stated in an address before the Canadian Club here today. "The success of the Empire," he said, "depends upon looking to the whole field instead of to any particular portion of it. We should use our credit jointly within the next five years to accelerate the imperial development as a whole and this should come within the next 20 or 30 years."

Fisheries Treaty

Sir Edward Kemp, alluding to the recent signing of the fishery treaty between Canada and the United States, said that in Canada it was considered that the signature of a Canadian Minister duly sworn as an adviser to the crown was sufficient for any agreement. The incident, he thought, had received more attention than was justified. Both the English and French in Canada, Sir Edward said, were opposed to any change in the Canadian status. It was true that in the period during which there was a union government, in the Dominion, Canada had appointed a war mission to Washington.

Ambassador at Washington

The present relations between the Canadian and United States authorities at Washington were very close, but it had been shown that there were reasons why it would be inopportune to appoint a Canadian Ambassador at Washington. Other Dominions, in fact, had objected to such an appointment being made because it would cause confusion. Personally, Sir Edward added, he agreed with this view.

TAX VICTORY BONDS

INCLUDED IN INCOME UNDER MANITOBA BILL

Bill Given Third Reading Doubles Marriage Fees—No Money Appropriated for Housing

WINNIPEG, April 25.—Manitoba's income tax bill was introduced and given first reading in the Legislature this afternoon. Hon. F. M. Black, Provincial Treasurer, explained that the measure provides for a tax ranging from one per cent on taxable incomes of $1,000 to seven per cent on incomes of $13,000 and over.

Victory bonds and securities which are exempt from the Dominion tax will not be exempt under the proposed Act. The tax will be collected in 1924 on incomes earned in 1923.

On the ground that the province has alredy advanced $3,494,595, no monay will be appropriated by the Government for housing this year, Mr. Black announced.

Winnipeg is financing its own housing scheme by a debenture issue of $500,000.

The bill amending the Rural Credits Act by limiting new loans to $2,000 was given third reading, as was a bill raising the marriage licence fee from $2.50 to $5.

UNABLE TO ASSIST IRISH RESIDENTS

Overseas Settlement Office Cannot Make Grants for Passage to One of Dominions

LONDON, April 25.—The fact that the Overseas Settlement Office is at present debarred by the terms of an order-in-council from making grants to persons resident in Ireland who wish assisted passage to one of the Dominions was brought to light by the Duke of Devonshire, Colonial Secratary, in the House of Lords last night, in reply to a statement made by Lord Curzon, who cited the case of a British officer who on demobolization applied for assisted passage for himself and family with a view to his taking up employment which was open to him in Canada, but the desired assistance was refused on grounds of his being a resident of the Irish Free State.

The Duke of Devonshire undertook to see that the order-in-council would be altered so that in such a case as that of the individual officer mentioned by Lord Carson and other cases of a similar nature, the situation would be met in a reasonable manner.

King Confers Honors on Groom and Bride's Father

LONDON, April 25.—In connection with the royal wedding tomorrow, King George has made the Duke of York a Knight of the Order of the Thistle, and made the Earl of Strathmore, father of Lady Bowes-Lyon, a Knight of the Grand Cross of the Victorian Order, it was announced tonight.

APATHY OF THE EAST IS ALLY TO ORIENTAL SAYS DR. S. F. TOLMIE

Despite British Columbia Legislation Backed to the Limit, Politicians in the East Fail to Meet Situation Until Oriental Problem Becomes Difficult to Meet, Says Victoria Member

CRITICIZES BILL TO COME BEFORE HOUSE

Leaves Gates of Canada Open to Chinese Merchants, Whose Competition Is Keenly Felt by White Men in Same Line of Business, He Says in Advocating Total Exclusion

OTTAWA, April 25.—The greatest ally of the Oriental in entering Canada has been the apathy of the Easterner who persistently has refrained from carefully studying the situation and who has always looked on the appeals of the British Columbian as being of a political nature and not taken this matter very seriously, according to Hon. S. F. Tolmie, member for Victoria in the Federal House and a member of the Meighen Government.

"Half-Way Measures"

Dr. Tolmie, in an interview with the Canadian Press tonight, went on to say that in spite of British Columbia legislation, backed to the limit by business organizations and various associations, the people of the Coast Province have been met in the East by politicians who have "failed to give us legislation that would properly meet the situation, and no single party is more to blame than the other in this particular respect." The result had been that they had seen abortive legislation, half-way measures, jelly-fishing for fear of hurting the feelings of the Orientals, until the Chinese question, once a very simple one, is now developed into an Oriental problem that is very difficult to meet.

"I want to say that this country and its representatives must wake up if we are to preserve Canada as a white man's country, to be enjoyed by this and future generations," he said.

Coast Situation

Referring to a bill which is expected to come up in the Commons any time now, Dr. Tolmie contends that, "it proposes to leave wide open the entry of merchants into Canada."

"Anyone," he said, "familiar with the situation on the Coast must know that we have too many Chinese merchants in this country now, and their competition is very keenly felt by those of our own race in the same line of business."

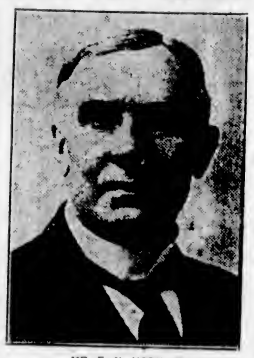
The clause covering merchants, he said, also will lead to a great deal of misrepresentation. Experience of immigration agents in the past clearly shows that no loopholes should be left.

There is only one kind of law to pass and that is a law which means total exclusion, with the exception of permitting trade under proper regulations.

Points to America

Dr. Tolmie reiterates that the Asiatic is not a desirable settler, that he will not assimilate, and if Canadians are to compete with him they must entirely change their standard of living. He urged that Canada profit by the experience of the United States where, he says, much more severe immigration laws were passed after many thousands of immigrants of a low type had gained access to that country.

Moose Jaw Member



MR. E. N. HOPKINS
the successful candidate in the recent Moose Jaw by-election. He represents the Progressives.

THETFORD MINERS STORM OFFICERS

TURN HOSE ON MANAGER AND POSSE OF POLICE

Constables Fire Shots—Strike Spreads to Other Mines—Thousand Men Quit Work

THETFORD MINES, Que., April 25.—A mob of 500 or 600 striking miners stormed the offices of the Asbestos Corporation, Limited, here this afternoon, seized the town fire apparatus and turned the hose on the offices in which Colonel G. H. McNutt, assistant manager of the company, with a posse of 40 special constables had installed themselves. Colonel McNutt, who had been sent out of the town by the miners on Monday, had returned here today with the special constables. The latter resisted the efforts of the miners to dislodge them and fired several shots in the air.

Later, however, they ceased to fire and confined themselves to holding the offices.

The strike has now spread, and miners from the Johnson, King and Bell mines, to the number of 1,000 men, have quit work.

Switzerland Repays $10,000,000 to U.S.

BERNE, April 25.—Switzerland has repaid the United States during the last year $10,000,000 on account of loans floated there in 1919 and 1920, it was officially announced today. The national debt of the country increased 90,000,000 francs last year and now totals 2,710,000,000 francs.

PRESIDENT'S SPEECH INTERESTS FRANCE

Declarations on Entry in International Court Start Discussion on Possible League Membership

PARIS, April 25.—President Harding's declarations regarding American membership in the permanent Court of International Justice, made in his speech at the Associated Press luncheon in New York yesterday, were given wide publicity here and have attracted much interest in League of Nations circles.

"The United States is bound to interest itself in this way in the world affairs," said Senator Henry de Jouvenel, editor of The Matin and prominently identified with League activities.

"The Atlantic Ocean is not a body of water separating the United States from Europe. It is in reality a highway of communication between the two continents.

Gave the League

"This step," continued Senator de Jouvenel, "will certainly be welcomed by the League of Nations. What I have never been able to understand is the attitude of the United States. She gave us the League, and then they said: 'It is a very good thing; not for us, but you; keep it; it will do you a lot of good.'

"Well, we have it, and it is doing us some good; but it would do us more if the United States joined, and I am certain that eventually she will join. The League is certainly ready to remove any features unsatisfactory to the United States, such as Article X."

695,606,840 Gold Marks Germany's 1922 Payment

PARIS, April 25.—Germany has been credited by the Allied Reparations Committee with 695,606,840 gold marks for payments in kind in reparations in 1922, it is announced. These revised figures show that the Allies placed orders for an additional 156,000,000 gold marks' worth of goods which were unfilled during the year.

FATALLY SCALDED

TORONTO, April 25.—Climbing into a tub of boiling water when his mother left the house to hang out a washing, three-year-old Teddy London was fatally scalded here yesterday.

ON TRAIL OF CREW OF FISH POACHER

BELIEVED ON BOARD OF BOAT ALONG ISLAND COAST

Open Verdict on Member of Crew Killed When Malaspina Fired on Seattle Schooner

Four fishermen who escaped Tuesday afternoon from the American fishing schooner Siloam, caught poaching in Canadian waters off Solander Island by the Canadian Fisheries patrol boat Malaspina are believed to be aboard the steamship Jennie, a fish carrier from Seattle. The exact whereabouts of the Jennie is not known but it is believed that she is along the west coast of Vancouver Island, en route to Seattle.

At an inquest at Port Alice today into the death of J. M. York, of Seattle, a fifth member of the Siloam's crew, who was killed when the patrol fired on the poacher, an open verdict was returned. York's body will be sent to Seattle for burial.

DEPUTY REFUSES TO APPEAR IN COURT

Placed Portion of Blame for Moroccan Debacle on Spanish King in Course of Lecture

MADRID, April 25.—Deputy Indalecio Prieto has refused to accept a summons to appear in court and stand trial in connection with an accusation of lese majeste growing out of a recent lecture in which he placed a portion of the blame for the Moroccan disaster to Spanish arms on the King.

He pleaded immunity as a deputy.

CRUSHED BY TREE

PRINCE RUPERT, April 25.—Douglas Schaeffer, of Queen Charlotte City, was killed in a lumber camp near Buckley Bay today when a falling tree crushed his legs.

Earthquake Stirs Panic in Messina

MESSINA, April 25.—An earthquake shock, extending along the eastern coast of Sicily, accompanied by an eruption of Mount Etna and Mount Stromboli, caused considerable panic among the population of the district today. Many people are camping in the open air, fearing further and more serious disturbances.

REBELS BREAK WORD

FREE STATE GIVES REASONS FOR THREE EXECUTIONS

Irregulars Captured in Cave Battle Had Given Pledge Not to Fight Against Government

DUBLIN, April 25.—The final chapter of the battle last week, in which a band of Irish Republicans was beseiged in a cave on the Kerry Coast by Free State troops, was written today with the executions at Tralee of three of the captured Irregulars. They were Richard Hatheway, a deserter from the British army, James McEnery and John Greaney.

In explanation of the execution of the captives it was said tonight at army headquarters that they had broken pledges, made upon the occasion of a previous surrender, not to fight against the Free State. In statements made after their capture in the cave they set forth that prior to giving their pledges, they had been members of the flying column headed by Commander Lyons of the cave garrison and that they had rejoined him only because of threats by Humphrey Murphy, Irregular leader, that they would be shot within 24 hours for desertion unless they did so. Lyons was killed in the fight at the cave.

SIR OLIVER TALLON EXPIRES AT MEETING

Ex-Premier of Quebec, and Former Postmaster of Montreal, Dies From Heart Disease

MONTREAL, April 25.—Sir Oliver Tallon, 83, ex-Premier of Quebec, and former postmaster of Montreal, died suddenly here tonight in the Knights of Columbus Hall, as he was seated in his chair, waiting for a lecture by Rev. Father Sansom to commence.

Sir Oliver, who complained of feeling faint as he sat down, shortly afterward became rigid, and it was seen he was in a serious condition. He was carried into a small room, where every effort was made to revive him while a doctor was summoned. On arrival of the medical man, Sir Oliver was found to be dead, and the cause was diagnosed as heart disease.

FEES COST DUKES AS HIGH AS £700

British Chancellor of Exchequer Gives Information to Labor Men Suggesting Tax on Titles

LONDON, April 25.—It costs as high as 700 pounds sterling in fees and stamp duties to become a Duke, while baronets are let off with something under £200. The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin gave this information in the House of Commons today when John Potts, Labor member for Barnsley, suggested that titles should be taxed.

The Chancellor intimated that if titles were taxed the revenue from this source would not be very great.

Ontario Navy League Seeks Coast Protection

LONDON, Ont., April 25.—A resolution asking that during the coming conference of Premiers in England the Government be asked to consider the question of adequate protection of Canada's 13,000 miles of coast line was passed at the meeting of the Provincial division of the Navy League here today.

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FREE STATE DECIDES TO ISSUE REVOLVERS

LONDON, April 25.—A Dublin dispatch to the Times says the Free State Government has decided to issue revolvers and ammunition to well disposed citizens for the protection of their lives and property in the prevalence of robbery which in many instances has been accompanied by violence.

PRESIDENT HARDING MAKES UP PAGE AGAIN

NEW YORK, April 25.—President Harding last night went back to the newspaper business in earnest during a two-hour visit to the plant of the New York Tribune. He passed quickly through the news and editorial rooms into the composing room. Here he shook hands with the printers and proceeded to the makeup room where he found Alexander Torrey, a staunch Democrat, making up the editorial page of the Democratic Tribune. Taking Torrey's rule away from him the president himself made up the entire page which contained among other things, an editorial on his address of yesterday afternoon and a cartoon depicting the President swimming in a world court pool and inviting reticent senators to come in. He slapped the page into the form and went to the printers' washroom where he washed the printers' ink from his hands and dried his hands with a grimy towel.

The foreman told the President he had caused complications by working in the shop without a union card but the President assured him he had a card.

Mrs. Harding, who used to assist her husband on the Marion Star, in the old days, helped him with advice as he made up a page of the Tribune.

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Sir Robert Baden-Powell Has Heart-to-Heart Talk With Boys

—Photo by Pocock

BOY SCOUTS ADDRESSED BY THEIR CHIEF AT BEACON HILL

SIXTEEN CANADIANS INVITED TO WEDDING

Many Entitled to Cards Gallantly Stand Aside to Allow Ladies to View Ceremony

LONDON, April 25.—Sixteen Canadians who reside in London, or are visiting here, have received invitations to Westminster Abbey for the marriage of the Duke of York and Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, tomorrow. The Canadian High Commissioner, Hon. P. C. Larkin, doubtless having in mind the severe struggle which has taken place among all the various sections of the social community to secure cards of admission to the Abbey and the immense mortification amongst certain disappointed ones, thinks it well not to publish the names of those whose petitions have been granted. The Canadian Press understands that the majority of those who have been deemed entitled to the first consideration in the matter of admission cards, have gallantly stood aside to allow their ladies the privilege of witnessing the ceremony.

Wear Court Dress

As was the case on the occasion of the marriage of Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles, the Canadian High Commissioner and the Agents-General for the various Provinces will wear court dress. The Agents-General once again, as in the case of the previous royal wedding, are not afraid to confess that they have hired their expensive costumes for the day.

The wedding gift from the Canadian community in London consists of electric table fittings.

FINAL RETURNS OF BULGARIAN ELECTIONS

SOFIA, April 26.—Final returns from the Bulgarian elections give the peasant party 218 seats, the communists 15 and the opposition bloc 12. Four of the successful candidates in the latter group are former cabinet ministers who are now in prison.

CHANGE IN FORESTERS' RATES IS PROPOSED

TORONTO, April 25.—A government commission consisting of G. T. Clarkson, chairman; Professor M. McKenzie, and Lyman Lee, of Hamilton, sat yesterday to hear evidence with a view to the readjustment of rates in regard to the Canadian Order of Foresters as provided under the amendment to the Act. Among suggestions made was that the older members should be relieved of excessive rates.

HUNDREDS OF ALIENS CROSS CANADIAN LINE

U.S. Immigration Officers Powerless to Cope With Boundary Separating Minnesota and Canada

CROOKSTON, Minn., April 25.—An efficient system of smuggling ineligible aliens into the United States across a 75-mile stretch of international border separating Minnesota from Canada is bringing hundreds of aliens into this country, according to immigration inspectors.

The seven inspectors along the 75 miles of border between Noyes and Warroad are powerless to cope with the smugglers. The underground system extends into far Eastern Europe, where aliens, returning to their native homes after making small fortunes here, take the word home to friends desirous of migrating to the United States, but who are prevented because of fulfilment of quotas from their countries. They enter Canada, make their way down the North Atlantic coast and inland over the Canadian railways. The aliens alight along points on this route, which is parallel with the 75 miles of border mentioned. With the aid of accomplices who are paid, they are smuggled over the border.

GATHER INFORMATION USEFUL TO DAIRYMEN

Dairy Commissioner and Creamery Head Report Trip to Australia and New Zealand Success

WINNIPEG, April 25.—The mission of Mr. J. A. Ruddick, Dominion Dairy Commissioner, and W. A. Wilson, former head of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Creameries, to Australia and New Zealand, where they investigated the dairy industries as carried on in those countries, was successful in every respect, Mr. Ruddick stated here yesterday. Mr. Ruddick passed through on his way back to Ottawa, where his first report will be made to the Agriculture Department.

Much information was gathered that will be useful to the dairymen of Canada if they will make use of it, Mr. Ruddick said. Both of the countries visited had made great progress in production, equipment and methods during the last five or six years.

"Most Canadian dairymen will be surprised, if not shocked, when they learn of the drastic nature of the laws recently enacted relating to the industry, especially in Australia," he said. "No time will be lost in placing a full report of the trip of investigation before the Canadian dairymen."

NO ELECTION CHANGES AT PRESENT SESSION

Reversion of Act Will Probably Be Deferred Until Next Session, Says Premier King

OTTAWA, April 25.—It is unlikely that the Government will introduce any amendments to the Elections Act at the present session. This information was brought out in the House of Commons this afternoon by Robert Forke, Progressive leader, who asked whether the Government would introduce legislation this session to provide for the alternative vote in the single member constituencies, in accordance with a resolution passed in the House.

Premier King replied that he had asked the chief electoral officer to draft an amendment to the Election Act upon the subject, but that he found that it would involve the amendment of a large number of sections of the Act. In view of this fact, and of the pressure of business, it had been decided to defer the revision of the Election Act probably until next session.

AUTOIST HITS CHILD AND FAILS TO STOP

Three Auto Victims and One Street Car Victim in Montreal Since Saturday

MONTREAL, April 25.—Three children have been killed by automobiles and one by a street car since Saturday. Yesterday two more children were critically injured and are suffering from fractured skulls as the result of automobile accidents. In one case the driver of the car did not stop to aid his victim.

TEMPERANCE CONFERENCE

LONDON, April 25.—Temperance conferences by Baptists and Methodists were held in London yesterday. Both meetings passed resolutions urging the Government to adopt as a Government measure and pass through the remaining stages of Parliament the bill of Lady Astor which would make illegal the sale of alcoholic drinks to persons under 18 years of age.

REPUBLIC OF POLAND REACHES HIGH RANK

In Its Fifth Year Has a Population of 27,160,163, and Is Sixth Nation in Europe

NEW YORK, April 25.—The new Republic of Poland, now in its fifth year, has a population of 27,160,163, and is the sixth nation in Europe, according to official information compiled by the Polish bureau of information.

"Its population is exceeded only by Russia, Germany, Great Britain, France and Italy," the statement says. "Poland has a population as large as Denmark, Holland, Belgium, Sweden, Norway and Switzerland combined."

Warsaw's population is given as 941,001; Lodz, 451,000; Lemberg, 219,000; Cracow, 181,000; Posen, 169,000; Vilna (estimated), 146,000.

Sixteen States

The republic has now been divided into sixteen states or administrative units, called voyvodships. The city of Warsaw, however, as capital of the republic, is distinct from any voyvodship.

After struggling with various boundary disputes on all sides, and emerging victorious from a war with Russia, Poland established her frontiers and then turned her attention to internal affairs.

The first regular Polish Parliament came into being November 27, 1922, succeeding the Constituent Assembly that had been organized as an emergency governing body early in 1919. During its life, the assembly enacted more than 500 laws, including a constitution providing for a House of Representatives elected by universal equal suffrage, and a Senate elected in the same manner.

Far-Reaching Economy

Economy was another far-reaching measure instituted by the new republic. During 1922 a reduction of 25,000 civilian employees was made in the various departments. Military affairs also were subjected to sweeping changes. A standing army of 250,000 was recommended, with compulsory military service of two years for all males reaching the age of 21.

The republic demonstrated its stability in December, 1922, following the assassination of President Narutowicz, the first chief executive, after he had been in office but two days. In the absence of precedent, the leaders turned to the constitution for guidance. Four days after the assassination, an election was held and a new president took office in accordance with the expressed will of the people.

PRAIRIE PROVINCES FACE LABOR SHORTAGE

Few Men Leaving British Columbia for Farm Work—Offer $55 a Month and Bonus

WINNIPEG, April 25.—With few men leaving British Columbia for farm work this Spring a widespread shortage in the supply of farm labor is reported from the three prairie provinces. Two thousand workers are required by the farmers of Manitoba and Saskatchewan, each province having one thousand unfilled applications, while Alberta is also asking for outside assistance.

The Regina, Moose Jaw and Saskatoon districts can use 500 men at once, according to G. E. Tomsett, Saskatchewan Superintendent of the Employment Service of Canada, who discussed the situation here yesterday with Major L. F. Howard, Dominion Western Superintendent. The pay offered in the applications from Regina, Moose Jaw and Saskatoon districts range from $50 to $55 a month with the usual daily bonus being granted during harvest. Other Saskatchewan districts want farm helpers at wages ranging from $40 to $45 a month until harvest time, when the bonus will be paid.

OTTAWA, April 25.—Canada's automobile industry shows important advances. During March passenger automobiles exported numbered 6,226, valued at $3,228,915, as against 2,983, valued at $1,731,886 in March, 1922. Freight automobiles exported in March numbered 843, value $201,745 as against 172 in March last year with a value of $81,982.

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Fire Truck Kills Man Crossing Toronto Street

TORONTO, April 25.—James Allen, 76, and Alexander Mackenzie, 86, brother of Sir William Mackenzie, were struck down in the streets yesterday. The former died within two hours. Mr. Mackenzie is suffering from a broken leg and other serious injuries.

Mr. Allen was crossing the street when a fire truck, responding to a false alarm, struck him. He was hurled to the pavement and sustained fractures of the right leg and pelvis.

Mr. Mackenzie was struck by a trolley car. His condition is serious.

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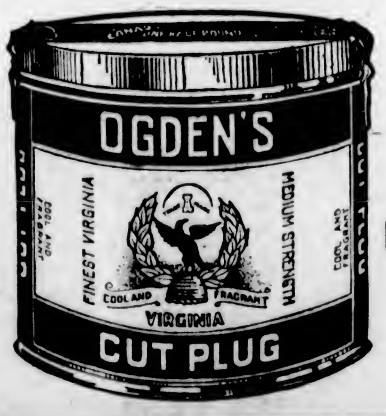

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PRESBYTERIANS PLAN UNION AMENDMENTS

Proposed Changes Will Be Discussed at Meeting of General Assembly to Be Held in June

TORONTO, April 24.—Although the committee on church union appointed by the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada held morning, afternoon and evening sessions today, no final decisions were reached. The entire day was spent going over various sections of the proposed Dominion and Provincial acts incorporating the United Church of Canada, the deliberations being presided over by Rev. Dr. George Pidgeon, of Toronto, monitor of the Toronto Presbytery.

It was said that the committee is drawing up a number of suggested amendments to the union constitution, which will be sent forward to the meeting of the General Assembly to be held in June. In compiling a list of suggested changes in the enabling constitution, the Presbyterian committee will be taking a step similar to that taken by the Methodist committee on union.

The committee expected to reach final decisions at tomorrow's sessions.

ALBERTA COAL MEETS ONTARIO REQUIREMENTS

OTTAWA, April 25.—According to George R. Pratt, fuel engineer for Alberta, who is here supervising demonstration of Alberta coal, the people of Ontario are fully satisfied that Alberta coal is an excellent fuel and would meet the requirements hitherto filled by American anthracite. He declares individuals testing the coal had reported very favorably. The difficulty at present is the delay of railway companies in reaching a decision as to freight rates. Speedy action was required, he said, if arrangements were to be made for shipments of coal during the Summer.

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PRAIRIE OPINION IS BACKING PROVINCE

Premier Oliver Declares That B.C.'s Fight for Equalization in Freight Rates Has Proved Revelation

"I believe that the bulk of the people of the Prairie sections to whom I spoke are convinced that British Columbia's claim for equalization of freight rates is absolutely well founded," declared Premier Oliver, who returned to Victoria yesterday after a three weeks' trip which took him to several Prairie points, and on his return from which he spoke at a number of points in the southern portion of the Province, his sole topic of discussion having been the efforts being made by British Columbia to secure more equitable treatment in the matter of freight rates. The Premier returned via Spokane and Seattle, reaching home at noon yesterday. He addressed ten meetings in all, and while admitting that the trip was more or less of a strenuous one, he looked exceptionally fit.

At all meetings, the Premier stated, there were large and attentive audiences. Especially was this the case at Saskatoon, where there was no doubt of the belief of his audience that British Columbia's fight was a just one.

"The information that I was able to place before the meetings came to those who heard me very much in the nature of a revelation. Many business men told me they had had no conception whatever of the existence of the discrimination in rates against the Province, and no idea at all of the conditions under which British Columbia entered Confederation. Ninety per cent of the people did not have the slightest idea that the C.P.R. had contracted to enter British Columbia through the Yellowhead Pass, a route which was not adopted.

"The statements made by Mr. Frank Carvell, of the Railway Board, and by Mr. D. C. Coleman and Mr. W. Lanigan, of the C.P.R., relative to British Columbia's claims have, I think, created a great feeling in our favor," said the Premier, who said he had been advised that Mr. Lanigan had been in Nelson trying to stir up the merchants there, and as a result a deputation had met him (the Premier) at Proctor with a list of freight discriminations in favor of Vancouver as against Nelson. But, the Premier stated, he had told the delegation he was not fighting for Vancouver as against any other city of the Province, and that such conditions as were complained of could not exist under equalization of rates.

It was his observation on the Prairies that branches of Winnipeg houses are using whatever influence they have against British Columbia's demand, for Winnipeg wants to hold the advantage it now possesses.

One feature of his trip which created considerable amusement at his Fernie meeting was his having paid $1.35 on a collect telegraph message which reached him at a point on the Crow's Nest Pass Railway as he was coming back from the Prairie section. It just happened that he was expecting a message from the Coast, and, accordingly, he paid the amount due. The message was from Winnipeg, and addressed to the Premier "on Train 67, Crow's Nest, B.C." It was as follows:

"Your ignorance of freight rate basis is colossal. Mentally you measure up with Andy Gump." The message was signed "D. E. Foartem."

Shortly the Premier will start out again on a trip to Interior points to carry on the campaign in favor of better rates. He will speak before the Chamber of Commerce here tomorrow night, and next week he will speak at Kamloops on Wednesday night. From that point he will probably go to Golden and Revelstoke, and down to Arrow Lakes to Grand Forks and other points.

ROTARY CLUB WILL ELECT PRESIDENT

Successor to Mr. P. B. Scurrah to Be Chosen at Luncheon Today—Dr. C. S. Price to Speak

The Rotary Club will elect a new president at its luncheon today in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium.

Three members have been nominated as successors to Mr. Percy B. Scurrah, the present president, namely, Messrs. James Adam, H. P. Johnson and Frank J. Sehl.

Dr. C. S. Price, the evangelist-healer, will address the luncheon. He is a member of the Oakland, Cal., Rotary Club, and will talk on some phase of Rotary ethics.

The installation of the new officers will not take place until May 31. A special luncheon will be held on May 25 to which delegates from adjacent cities will be invited, and this will be open to the ladies.

The annual meeting, on May 31, will be different from the majority of past gatherings of its kind by being devoted almost entirely to business, with only men present.

MAN ON GOLD COAST PRAISES PILCHARD

Mr. J. L. Beckwith Receives Letter From Japanese, Addressed to Victoria, B.C., England

British Columbia products find their way into the far corners of the earth. That this is so is brought forcibly to mind through a unique letter which Mr. J. L. Beckwith, of the Clayoquot Sound Canning Company, Ltd., has received from a Japanese residing on the Gold Coast in far-off Africa.

The epistle was addressed to "Clayoquot Sound Canning Co., Ltd.; J. L. Beckwith, agent; Victoria, B. C., England," and it found its way out to this city, bearing upon its back a small portion of the red label with which every tin of Albatross Brand Pilchard, canned by Mr. Beckwith's firm, is adorned.

In the letter the writer, Mr. F. A. Akiti, states that he has eaten Albatross Brand Pilchard and has found it delightful. He does not say so in as simple fashion as this, but communicated his feelings and his desires in the following confusion of a language whose mysteries he has but imperfectly pierced:

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Elected to Vice-Chair

MR. C. P. W. SCHWENGERS

Elected on Monday as vice-president of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce. He has been active for years as a member of the organization, having headed for some time the transportation and freight rates committees. He is a Victoria representative on the B.C. Freights Bureau.

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"Again, recommending your that 'tin pilchard' when I had tried had one tin to sweet my a morning eating it has offered my tongue very pleasant. I have to say here once that every kind doing by you to be successful to you all such sellers.

"You's faithfully,

"F. A. AKITI.

"N.B.: I want to make a friendship with you now in this and to try send to you per next board £40.0.0 of postal order."

CHEQUE FORGER GETS ONE-YEAR SENTENCE

Pleaded Guilty to Eight Charges and Gets Twelve Months on Each, to Run Concurrently

Twelve months in jail on each of eight counts was the sentence imposed by Magistrate Jay in police court yesterday on John M. Mowat, ex-Vancouver police constable, who was arrested on April 21, and who pleaded guilty to one charge of theft and seven charges of obtaining money by false pretences, i.e., drawing cheques and signing thereon the names of prominent Victoria citizens.

Mr. C. L. Harrison, crown prosecutor, contented himself with a brief cross-examination of the accused in connection with the charge of theft. Accused admitted that he took from the residence of Mr. J. H. Dunkley, Vancouver Street, last December, a portable sewing machine. When Detectives Phipps and McLellan called at the accused's residence, also on Vancouver Street, the machine was found. In connection with the charges relative to the passing of cheques on various dates during the past Winter, drawn in the names of merchants of Victoria, accused made no denial.

A plea for leniency was made by an officer of the Salvation Army, who also submitted a letter concerning the accused's disability from the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment. The various merchants whom he had victimized notified the court that they were not anxious to press prosecution against accused.

Magistrate Jay, in passing sentence, stated that no doubt existed as to accused's guilt on all charges. He had stolen the sewing machine, and the fact that he had been an officer of the law in Vancouver was proof that he knew he was committing a criminal offence. Because, however, accused's record had previously been a good one, and because of his wife and three small children, and also in consideration of his own disability, he would reduce sentence. He pointed out to accused that his various acts had made him liable to a penalty of many years in jail. As before mentioned, accused was found guilty of all charges and sentenced to serve one year in jail on each, the terms to run concurrently.

BUSINESS GROUPS TO BE REORGANIZED

Members of Chamber of Commerce Being Distributed Again Among Standing Bodies

With the Chamber of Commerce year drawing to a close, members of that organization are now receiving questionnaires with a view to ascertaining their preference for membership in the various groups that have been established.

Members of the Chamber have the privilege of joining groups devoted to agricultural development, industrial development, tourist trade development, transportation, retail trade, wholesale trade and manufacturing, according to their individual desire, and the personnel of these groups will be determined by the results of the present questionnaire canvass.

The installation of officers will take place at the annual meeting of the Chamber on Friday evening, at 8 o'clock. President J. W. Spencer, will preside, and the terms of President-elect C. T. Cross and Vice-President-elect C. P. W. Schwengers, will be formally inaugurated.

The principal speaker of the meeting will be the Premier, Hon. John Oliver, who just returned from the Prairies, where he was engaged in his fight for equalization of freight rates. He will address members of the Chamber on British Columbia's freight rates problem, and this will be the first time that the Premier has spoken on that subject in Victoria for several months.

The regular bi-monthly meeting of the Industrial Group, under the chairmanship of Mr. John Wood, will be held at 12:15 noon tomorrow. Plans for launching a campaign to stimulate consumption in Victoria of locally manufactured goods will be discussed.

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STRONGLY DENOUNCE THE EVILS OF DRUGS

Dr. Hudson and Rev. H. T. Archbold Address Post No. 3, Native Daughters of B.C.

Dr. A. B. Hudson and Rev. H. T. Archbold addressed members of Post No. 3, Native Daughters of B.C., at the conclusion of their business meeting last night at the Victoria Club, on the problem of the narcotic drug addict. It is the intention of the members to interest themselves in this vital question, and the speakers, who are thoroughly conversant with the subject, gave a very clear outline of the problem, illustrating their talk with incidents which fully revealed the significance of the growth of the evil.

Both speakers were most emphatic in their denunciation of the "purveyor" of the drug. Dr. Hudson terming such persons "fearful criminals—worse than murderers, and for whom no penalty was too great." The purveyors were responsible for the backsliding of their victims who attempted to cure themselves of their vicious habits. Huge profits were reaped by purveyors, while their victims ultimately degenerated into dope fiends, liars and thieves. Again both speakers were emphatic in the pressing need of a proper institute for the treatment of drug addicts, other than jail, which is at present the only place in which addicts may be treated.

Rev. Mr. Archbold startled the assembly by announcing that "over one thousand cases are in Victoria today under the age of twenty." He added that "the tragedy is increasing in the use of drugs to be found among the younger element."

Specimens of cocaine and morphia were shown by Dr. Hudson, who spoke at length on the manner in which to safeguard oneself from the insidious drug. At the conclusion of the speeches a hearty vote of thanks was passed to Dr. Hudson and Rev. Mr. Archbold for their instructive address.

Regret was expressed by the members at the inability of Mrs. Paul Smith, Grand Factor, of Vancouver, to attend the meeting, owing to illness in her family. Delegates to the forthcoming meeting of the Grand Post in Nanaimo were elected, and in addition to the officers of that Post Mrs. R. E. Burnes, Mrs. P. R. Brown and Mrs. McDonnell were asked to represent Victoria. Resolutions to the meeting were also drawn up and discussed.

Mrs. Barton urged the members to support the May Day celebrations, and Miss Foote spoke of the work of her team in connection with the membership drive for the Y.W.C.A.

At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served.

FINED FOR SPEEDING

Motor Drivers, Accused by Provincial Police of Exceeding Limit, Fined

Four motor speeders apprehended by Constable Owens, of the Provincial police department, last Sunday afternoon, appeared in the Provincial court this morning and paid fines. According to the evidence submitted for the prosecution, Constable Owens, on motor-cycle police duty between Parson's Bridge and the Four-Mile House, on the Island Highway, took the names of four speeders who were hitting the high-spots anywhere from thirty to fifty miles an hour.

According to regulations, the speed limit on the highway is thirty miles per hour on clear stretches and fifteen miles an hour on curves. Mr. C. H. Green was fined $25, Mr. P. S. Allen, $50; Mr. K. Henry, $20, and Mr. A. H. Peace, $25.

COMMITTEE LOOKS OVER ELK LAKE

Programme of Improvement to Make Area Attractive Summer Resort Will Be Drafted

The Victoria-Saanich Beaches and Parks Committee made a trip of inspection to Elk Lake and Beaver Lake yesterday afternoon and discussed plans for improving the area and making it more attractive as a Summer resort.

The committee went over the grounds about a week ago, but was unable to make a thorough job of it owing to the rain. A programme of improvement for the present year will be drafted at a special meeting to be held in the City Hall some time next week.

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THE ROYAL MARRIAGE

A number of years ago—the exact number does not matter—the eldest son of a great Highland chief descended upon London after the manner of his tribe and carried off a daughter of the reigning monarch of England. This feat caused great rejoicing in Scotland; blazing bonfires adorned the peaks of hundreds of mountains in honor of the grand occasion. The English people, true to character and habit, hardly deigned to notice the event as particularly noteworthy. Probably they would have remained just as impassive if the Princess Louise had chosen some foreign prince instead of the Marquis of Lorne for her consort.

Today an English prince of the blood, a true English lad in character and demeanor, somewhat shy and altogether manly, will wed the daughter of a Scottish Chief, a sweet lass of the mountains, as modest as the flowers of her native glens, a bonnie leddy, as her own people who know and love her would say.

England is not permitting this great social event to pass without special notice. There is greater rejoicing over it than there has been over any similar event for a generation. This is not a marriage of convenience, a union of houses for political or state reasons. It is believed to be a love match, arranged between the young people themselves after true human fashion, although there may be a suspicion that the mother of the young man, a most capable woman "with no nonsense about her," may have unobtrusively facilitated the designs of the young couple.

It is doubtful whether there would have been such a display of delight and enthusiasm if the Duke of York had done his courting in another land and selected his bride from one of the few remaining royal houses of Europe. The English people are very tolerant in all matters of state and of religion, but there is a latent feeling in them that there is something distinctive in the breed which has made Britain what she is, and that it is worth cultivating in the palaces as well as in the lowly places. Like the Scotch, they have a distinct partiality for "their ain folk."

The young couple are very happy today. They are happy in their circumstances, and happy in the knowledge that not only all England and Scotland, but all the English-speaking world, join in wishes for continuance of the feelings with which their hearts are charged as they set forth upon the second stage of the journey of life.

A DANGEROUS PRINCIPLE

Nova Scotia statesmen have been complaining that their Province has not received just and equitable treatment from the Dominion under the terms of the British North America Act; but a large majority of them have decided not to seek secession as a cure for the ills they complain of. The Legislature has decided that it will give Confederation a further trial; but it is going to ask for something that would involve discrimination against all the other provinces and in favor of Nova Scotia.

The Legislature of the Province asks that the representation of Nova Scotia in the Parliament of Canada shall remain fixed; that it shall not be increased or reduced in accordance with the principles upon which the representation of all the provinces is determined. We do not know what the other members of the Confederation are going to say about this request, but it is hardly reasonable to expect that they will permit their representation to be interfered with if interference will be to their disadvantage by lessening their influence in the House of Commons. If demands of that kind are to be made, considered and granted, then the foundation of the Canadian federal structure will be undermined and there will be danger of a collapse. The system which gives Quebec a fixed representation with all the other provinces a representation based upon their relative position as compared with the population of Quebec is perfectly fair and just and should be adhered to. But the principle has been violated already in the case of Prince Edward Island, and there is just a possibility that the politicians at Ottawa may be unable to resist the demands of Nova Scotia. Then New Brunswick and other provinces will get into line, with "confusion worse confounded."

A SULLEN PARTNER

The bells are ringing merrily today in England and Scotland in celebration of one of those human events which makes all the world kin, but there is no public or private rejoicing in Ireland. That is something not very pleasant to reflect upon. England and Scotland are becoming more closely knit together every year. All the old feuds and grievances are buried and forgotten. The north and south are permanently united in bonds of the closest social fellowship and business relationship. Great Britain is one in heart, in aim, and in sympathy.

Ireland, intended by Nature to be one of the important parts of the United Kingdom, is dismembered partially alienated from her sisters. Old grievances rankle in and poison the hearts of her people, and new wounds are being inflicted almost every day, the remembrance of which will be cherished against those who are alleged to be responsible for Ireland's woes. It is a pathetic picture; and what a bright picture it might have been under happier circumstances. The responsibility for such a state of affairs is not all on one side. The consequences will all be on the head of Ireland. She never can prosper under present circumstances. Her young men are emigrating in thousands. Industry is languishing and capital withdrawing. She is being "bled white," to use a common expression. Yet the wisest, the most tolerant and the most liberal of statesmen are helpless in face of the prevailing conditions.

PARLIAMENT AND COMBINES

A committee of the Parliament of Canada has been engaged for some time looking into the operations of certain alleged combines. The committee was appointed, of course, by or with the approval of the leader of the House, who is also the leader of the Government. The vital force behind this committee, is the Progressive element in Parliament. Mr. King cannot resist its demands and live for any great length of time.

The Prime Minister has introduced in the House a bill that is designed to put an end to some of the alleged abuses that have been exposed before this committee of investigation, and if there are any practices in the business life of the country that are working an injustice to the people they assuredly should be exposed and suppressed. There are organizations in Canada that might euphemistically be called combines, but all co-operative business ventures are not necessarily working a public injustice. The fruit growing and selling organizations of British Columbia are combines in the limited sense of the term, and the men who organized them and the men who compose them are agreed upon the fact that their very existence as fruit raisers is dependent upon the maintenance and continuance of this organization.

At the extreme end of the line of combinations there is the Standard Oil Company of the United States. The law passed judgment upon that organization and dissolved it, but it is just as effective a combine as it ever was, and is making immense dividends for its shareholders.

The Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post in a recent article gave a convincing reason for the strength of co-operative organizations. It said:

More and more, unconsciously perhaps, the investor leans toward the big corporation. He feels instinctively that it is safe; that it will carry through hard times, that "the bankers will not let it fail; it is too big." And there is a world of truth in his instinct. Big corporations have failed, and will probably continue to go on the rocks in the future, but each successive depression seems to witness a lower percentage of mortality among the great corporations that hold a conspicuous or dominant position in their trade. The politician may argue against the big corporate consolidation, and even the farmers may say it is injurious to them; but when the individual with money to invest, whether he be politician, farmer, clerk or working man, comes to the momentous decision as to which bond or preferred stock he will put his five hundred or thousand dollars into, he feels that it is safer if the company is one that has a fairly powerful position in its particular trade.

Vancouver simply will not be denied pre-eminence. It claims a special interest in a lady who is familiar with the interiors of the jails of all the important cities on the Pacific Coast.

The Seattle street railway system is owned by the people and is operated by the politicians whom the people elect to the municipal council. The consequences are just what might be expected. The railway does not pay. Its management has tried ten cent, eight cent and five cent fares, and appears to be dissatisfied with the results. Five cent fares have been collected for several months, and the system has lost from four to five thousand dollars a day. Ten cent fares are going effect again, and probably will stay there until a politician, lustful of office, deludes the taxpayers into trying some other experiment.

Hon T. D. Pattullo has discovered something that has been obvious to the naked eye for some time: that the one thing British Columbia needs is more people. The men who hold dominion over us have been too timid in their immigration policy. They have tried to handpick settlers, and the men who have been entrusted to do this have applied their instructions so literally that settlers of the right stamp have found insurmountable barriers when they approached our shores. This observation applies to the whole of Canada. The immigrants who came to the United States and made it prosperous, and the immigrants who came to Canada in the early days and made it what it was up till recently were not of the pampered class. They came, applied their energies to any sort of work that presented itself, and prospered.

Note and Comment

There is no doubt that the accession to the throne of the Queen of the Frolic will not be accomplished without much of the attendant civil commotion which has always marked the contentions of dynastic partizans. We hear of young men in this town who have vowed knightly service not merely to one of the fair aspirants, but to several; and we can only believe that such young men are very young indeed, and that they have no idea of the amount and variety of serious trouble they are laying up for themselves. However, they are young, a special providence watches over them, and they are not to be deterred by any report of our well-founded apprehensions. They must look out for themselves. Our real concern is with the state of affairs disclosed by a friend who has confided in us.

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This friend reports that his troubles over this matter started two days ago, and have been getting worse ever since. First of all, as he relates, a young man in his employment came to him with the photograph of a beautiful young woman. The young man boasted that the original of the photograph was his girl, and that she was what he called some girl if anybody should ask him. He also informed our friend that he, the prideful young man aforesaid, had sworn "to put across" this beautiful young woman as Queen of the Frolic; and that all our friend had to do was to purchase voting tickets at the bargain price of one cent each, to be sold in lots of not less than ten. Being a good fellow, still young at heart, despite his graying hair, our friend produced the sum of thirty cents, and became the owner in fee simple of thirty good reasons why that beautiful young woman, who was some girl, and was the reputed girl of that boastful young man, should be the Queen of the Frolic.

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But that was only the comparatively harmless beginning of it, according to our friend. Presently he found himself looking into the photographed eyes of another beautiful young woman; and heard himself being told by a business associate that he was not much as a man, still less as a father, and practically nothing at all as a sportsman, if he did not support this second beautiful young woman for the throne of the frolicsome Queen. Our friend could not find it in his heart to resist such an appeal. He produced another thirty cents, and found himself reflecting that what he had done for one beautiful young woman was cancelled out by what he had done for the other; and that he was out of pocket exactly the price of a pound of creamery butter he had been commissioned by his wife to purchase that morning. And what our friend said was that in fancy he could hear his wife snorting about it when he explained why there was no butter.

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Our friend canvassed the situation for us from several different viewpoints, and we found difficulties everywhere. He is a veteran of the Great War, and a member of several service clubs; and he finds that all these organizations have each their own separate candidate for the throne. The thing is still more complicated by the fact that there are candidates to be candidates to be Queen. There is to be one Queen of Clubs, for instance, who is to compete finally with Queens of Mercy, of Democracy, of Commerce, of Sport; but in the meantime every club has its candidate for the Queen of Clubs. Our friend has been trying to find out what all this is likely to mean, especially from the financial side of it; and he has come to the conclusion that unless he hardens his heart, or unless they sell the tickets in less than ten cent lots, his family will have to use margarine instead of butter for the next twelve months.

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Our friend has seriously disturbed us with this reproach of his. We are so soft-hearted ourselves as almost to merit the reproach of being soft-headed. We have imagined ourselves as wax in the uncompromising hands of those prideful young men; and we have wondered whether it would be good for our sorrowful heart that we should look into the photographed eyes of all those beautiful young women. We have wondered if it would not have been better to have had just a Queen of May, some little fairy who has not yet disturbed the emulative hearts of those vainglorious young men; but then we have reflected that we should turn loose upon the community a great tidal wave of Proud Mothers; and we have become reconciled to the present arrangement. And we have heard of the masterly formula adopted by an eminent Scots financier of our acquaintance, who has foiled all the assaults of the prideful young men with the comment that, "for the present I am keeping an open mind on all these handsome young gals." But our strength of mind, alas, is not equal to his.

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With great diffidence, and with some sense of impending disaster, we should like to propose an added feature for the May-time Frolic, one that in its preliminaries, especially, should divert attention from these other agitations. Why should there not be also a King of the Revels? Such a figure, in other places and from ancient times, has been seen in these pageants. Many candidates suggest themselves for the role, none more insistently than a certain alderman; but we shall not spoil his chances of election by more pointed allusion. And if there could be a Lord of Misrule, as there generally is in the ancient European festivals of this kind, what civic contest could vie in public interest in a straight fight between Aldermen Andros and Sangster for the position? In the Scots pageants they used to have an Abbot of Unreason; but we fear we shall miss that figure from the coming Frolic.

Poems That Endure

Unwielding all the chains that tie
The hidden soul of harmony.
—John Milton.

OZYMANDIAS

I met a traveller from an antique land
Who said: "Two vast and trunkless legs of stone
Stand in the desert. Near them on the sand,
Half sunk, a shattered visage lies, whose frown
And wrinkled lip and sneer of cold command
Tell that its sculptor well those passions read
Which yet survive, stamped on these lifeless things,
The hand that mocked them and the heart that fed.
And on the pedestal these words appear:
'My name is Ozymandias, king of kings:
Look on my works, ye mighty, and despair!'
Nothing beside remains. Round the decay
Of that colossal wreck, boundless and bare,
The lone and level sands stretch far away."
—Percy Bysshe Shelley.

By the Way—

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IN his account of the "Retreat of the Ten Thousand," after the failure of Cyrus the Younger to capture the crown of Persia from his younger brother, Xenophon (400 B. C.) mentions a peculiar tribe living in the Armenian Highlands who dwelt under the ground with all their live stock. In some regions along the chalk cliffs of France one will find whole villages under ground for the reason that the surface is valuable for vineyards. The owner digs a pit or quarry in the surface, forming a cellar, which is accessible from one side only. Then from the sides of the pit he cuts the rooms of his dwelling under the vineyard. The windows and door open into the pit, while the rock that is taken out is used for a fence.

France Has Her Own Cliff Dwellers

In these chalk cliffs primitive man found shelter in caves or beneath overhanging ledges where he also found flint for his tools. Later came the ancient Gauls to dwell in these caves, which offered homes for a large population. The vast chalk-bed through France can be traced clearly from the north of Ireland to the Crimea. Today any vagrant who cares to carve a home out of the friable rock can become a cliff dweller.

SIR MICHAEL SADLER HAS BUSY PROGRAMME

Noted British Educationist to Speak in Victoria Twice on Saturday —Plans for Public Meeting

A busy two days are in store for Sir Michael Sadler, vice-chancellor of Leeds University, and one of England's most outstanding educationists. Arriving here from Vancouver early Saturday morning, he will begin at 10:30, at the High School, a somewhat heavy programme by addressing a meeting of teachers and others interested in education. At 6:30 he is due to address a Canadian Club "luncheon," and on Sunday evening he will address a public gathering, time and place of which will be announced later. He will be a guest at Government House while here.

Sir Michael Sadler is perhaps best known to the world at large as the originator of the movement to carry education to the masses, outside the schools and universities, as he instigated the idea known in England as the Workers' Educational Association, which, while not actually organized by him, carried into effect a well-defined and long-cherished plan which he had perfected in theory and discussed on numerous occasions. The Workers' Educational Association classes provide lectures and courses which are available to all classes.

The practical bent of his great mind is found in many other departments of education. He himself was educated at Rugby and Trinity College, Oxford, and has held many important offices and lectureships. He was a member of the Royal Commission on secondary education from 1892-1895. He was director of special inquiries and reports in the Education Department, 1895-1903; professor of history and administration of education, Victoria University of Manchester, 1903-1911.

Last year Sir Michael was sent to India on the commission appointed to look into the question of education there. The founding of the University of Calcutta on a basis acceptable to all classes and creeds was one of the outcomes of that visit.

LADS' "DUG-OUT" GUTTED

Subterranean Hangout of Youths in Robertson Street District Swept Clean by Flames

A real "dug-out," constructed by lads in the neighborhood of Robertson Street, Foul Bay section, at a great expense of labor and enthusiasm, a sort of under ground club house and meeting place, was wiped out last night at 10:30 o'clock, when fire broke out and gutted the subterranean hang-out of the juvenile members of the gang. The place, buried several feet underground, and stored with a conglomeration of stuff that burnt readily, was a roaring furnace when the fire apparatus arrived at the spot. But a stream of water from a near-by hydrant drowned out the flames and co-incidentally wrecked the rendezvous at which many youthful plans were talked over and schemes for the Summer hatched.

TRALEE, Ireland, April 25.—Richard Hathaway, John Greeney and James McEnery were executed here today by the Free State authorities. Hathaway, who was a deserter from a British regiment, was captured in the recent siege of a cave in which a band of irregulars were holding out on the Kerry cliffs.

Laurette Taylor, star in "Peg o' My Heart," has played "Peg" 1,127 times.

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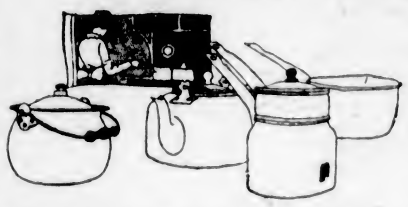

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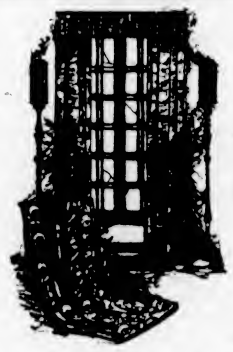

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REV. DR. PRICE TELLS OF SECOND COMING OF CHRIST

Divine Healing Demonstration Follows Inspiring Address—Campaign Closes Sunday

Over eight thousand Victorians and residents of neighboring points listened attentively last night to the message on "The Second Coming of Jesus Christ," which was delivered by the Rev. C. S. Price. Dr. Price dealt with his subject in an exhaustive style, and his remarks were frequently punctuated with loud applause.

Long before the hour when the Arena opened there was a crowd of people waiting to secure the seats nearest the platform. By seven o'clock the Arena was crowded, the downstairs, galleries, end sections and boxes being filled. Hundreds were disappointed at being unable to gain admission. Last night the building held the largest crowd that has attended any of the Price evangelistic services in Victoria.

Rev. Dr. Price at the outset made it quite clear that he had the highest regard and respect for those who did not believe in the second coming of Christ. He told that for twelve years in the ministry he had held to the post-millenium theory, but had been converted to the premillenial thought at a meeting held one day in San Jose, California.

The evangelist said that he believed that the stir throughout the world and the fact that men and women were being brought back to the old rugged Cross through revival campaigns that were sweeping the countries were indications that Jesus was right at the gateway to this world.

Evangelist Price conducted another healing demonstration, a number of those prayed for claiming that they were healed. Dr. Price asked Miss Eva Anderson, the crippled young lady who was recently prayed for, how she was getting along. She told him that her leg had grown some, her spine was straightening out, and she felt a warm, tingling sensation through her limbs. This announcement was met with loud applause.

Rev. J. Smith Patterson, pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, who suffered with internal troubles, said that he believed that he had been healed.

One man afflicted for 16 years with hip trouble, said that he had been cured, and Mr. Herbert Dann, who was suffering from gall stones and had had two operations, announced he was well.

Dr. Price declared that the woman for whom he prayed at the Chinese Theatre service, who was affected with tuberculosis, was walking now. This Chinese woman had to be carried into the building on Tuesday night, and had been unable to sit up for three years. She could now walk without assistance.

The evangelist said that the results last evening were the poorest of the campaign, attributing this to the lack of faith of the persons prayed for. He stated that some of those who came to the platform had presented cards which had not been given to them at the preparatory services. Where they got the cards from was more than he was aware of.

Dr. Price's invitation to members of the congregation to accept Jesus Christ as their personal Saviour was responded to by over one hundred.

On taking the platform last night, Dr. Price was tendered a flattering ovation by the vast congregation. The Salvation Army Band furnished music for the singing. Commander Hardner, of the Salvation Army, offered prayer. Vocal numbers were delightfully rendered by Miss Carvell.

Dr. Price announced the schedule of meetings for the balance of the campaign as follows: Thursday, no preparatory service in morning; 2:30 p.m., regular service at Metropolitan Church, when prayers will be offered for the healing of old people suffering from blindness and deafness; 7:30 p.m., big evangelistic rally and healing service at the Arena; Friday, 10 a.m., preparatory service; 2:30 p.m., regular afternoon service at Metropolitan Church; 7:30 p.m., another big rally in the Arena; Saturday, 10 a.m., preparatory service; 2:30 p.m., children's healing service at Arena; 7:30 p.m., another children's healing meeting. Sunday, 11 a.m., meeting in Metropolitan Church; 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., mass meetings at Willows Arena.

The evangelist said that he was going to write two books on "The Baptism of the Holy Spirit" and "Divine Healing," and was taking photographs of the various campaigns in order to have illustrations of the various places he had conducted services included in the publications. A flashlight photo of the large audience at the Arena last night was taken.

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Letters to the Editor

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Horse Races

Sir,—Having seen where a nice programme has been arranged for the 24th May Gymkhana, and I hope it will prove a big success, but I cannot see why every race should be put on for amateur riders only, as there are a few riders in this town who would like to take part and make a good day's sport of it, but as the conditions are at present, the horsemen of this town are barred. As there are no races where they can enter their horses and ride them themselves it leaves them absolutely on the outside, and prevents the public from witnessing what might be a very interesting race between some of our best professional riders who make it their business and living riding horses, as I know the public would sonner see good horsemanship and close running races.

I am merely writing this letter, so that the public may have an opportunity of seeing the difference between amateur riding and professional, for if this thing is a failure I hope that the public will not attribute the blame to the real horsemen of this city, for at present they are not taking any active part in the arrangements, and it would be a regrettable thing for them to be blamed, as it would have a tendency to hurt good racing.

A. S. WOODS.

The Willows, April 25.

Pisco punch is a highly intoxicating Peruvian drink.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of April 26, 1873)

The Famous Tichborne Trial—London, April 24.—Trial of the Tichborne claimant on charge of perjury is in progress. Mr. Hawkins commenced the opening address for the prosecution yesterday. At adjournment of court this evening he had not concluded. Courtroom was crowded with spectators, including titled and distinguished persons.

Franco-Prussian War Casualties on German Side—Altogether They Do Not Exceed the Losses of More Than One Single Battle of the Great War—The German Government has at length given definite statistics showing the German losses in the war with France. The total number killed, wounded and missing amounts to 137,197. Of these there were killed in action 17,677, those who died afterward from their wounds numbered 18,716, from sickness, 12,243; from accidents, 816; from suicide, 50, the total number who died being than 49,571, including 1,834 officers. During the war there were no less than 1,559 encounters with the enemy which were attended with loss of life.

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NO MORE HOME-WORK; "CRUEL AND OBSOLETE"

WINDSOR, Ont., April 25.—Abolition of the home-work system in Windsor public schools was ordered last night by the Board of Education after Trustee C. H. Smith attacked the system as "cruel and obsolete."

Indian Buys Whisky Instead of Fruit

Was for Sick Mother—Changes Mind, Buys Fire-Water—Changes Mind Again, Drinks It Himself

Pain-killer in the form of a bottle of whisky was purchased recently by an Indian of the Quamichan Reservation, originally for the purpose of curing his aged mother of an illness, but when the purchaser reached the reservation he evidently thought he needed the medicine more than the sick woman so he drank it himself, and according to Constable Tom O'Connell, of Cowichan, got very drunk. From admissions made by the Indian, a charge of supplying liquor to an Indian was laid against Allen W. Ferguson, of Victoria, and yesterday he appeared in police court to answer to the charge. The Indian, according to Constable O'Connell, had come to the city with the original intent of securing fruit for his mother but he evidently decided that bottled fire-water would be more potent.

Accused pleaded not guilty and Mr. R. C. Lowe, who appeared in court representing Mr. W. C. Moresby, accused's counsel, asked for and secured a remand until next Wednesday.

RAILWAY INSURANCE

OTTAWA, April 23.—Third reading was given in the House tonight to the bill providing machinery for the Canadian National Railways carrying insurance on their own property.

Housecleaning Is Not The Job It Used To Be

MANY are the things we have learned about cleaning house that our Grandmothers did not know.

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ACTION RESUMED TO BREAK WILL

ADJOURNMENT MADE UNTIL 11 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING

Sister of Late Mrs. Collins, Cut Off With Dollar, Asks Court to Modify Terms

Alleged eccentricities of the late Mrs. Amelia Collins were presented in the Supreme Court before Mr. Justice Gregory yesterday when the effort being made by Mrs. Emma Hood, sister of the deceased, to break the will by which she was left the sum of one dollar, the bulk of the estate of approximately $20,000 being left to the late Mrs. Collins' nurse and companion, Miss Elizabeth Lang, was resumed. In his examination of witnesses for the plaintiff, Mr. D. S. Tait, her counsel, endeavored to show that the late Mrs. Collins was of unsound mind and therefore not capable of executing a legal document.

Mrs. Emma Hood, plaintiff, was the first witness called when the trial was opened at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. She told first of the existence of insanity in her family. Her mother, she claimed, suffered from a mental affliction and when she died had been irresponsible. Her eldest son, Mrs. Hood's brother, had acted strangely and at last his reason had so far departed that he was sent to an asylum for the insane, where he died. Another brother was also "queer," witness claimed, and later was drowned. She understood that he had committed suicide, although Mr. H. W. R. Moore, counsel for the defendant, Miss Lang, submitted that detectives who had investigated his death suspected foul play. Mrs. Reece, a sister of the plaintiff, who died in 1908, had been very much affected by the thought of her approaching death, and in her opinion showed signs of the development of hereditary feeble-mindedness. One of her nephews, David Reece, had spent a year in an insane asylum, and was at present out on probation.

"Anybody else?" asked His Lordship.

"They all seemed to be affected," replied the witness.

"All except you," suggested the Court.

Mrs. Hood denied that anything had affected her brain. At least she hadn't noticed any signs of it yet, she concluded.

In answer to questions by Mr. Tait, she said that another sister, Mrs. Cogan, who died about a week after Mrs. Collins' death, and who was also, by the terms of the late Mrs. Collins' will, cut off with one dollar, acted queerly at times.

Relative to her knowledge of her sister, Mrs. Collins, plaintiff claimed that she was always doing queer things, and that she had so little regard for her mother or her sisters or any members of her family that that fact alone made her think that her mind was not normal. She did not act in a sisterly manner, she said. She would not have any of them around her house and made untrue accusations against them.

Witness contended that there had been absolutely no ground for any of the accusations, and her contention was that they came from a disordered mind.

Money Talk

Every time she had entered the Collins home, Mrs. Collins had talked about money to her, witness asserted. It was always money, money, money—what she was going to do with hers and that none of it would find its way into her sister's hands. She seemed to have an idea that her relatives were after her money.

Deceased had also had an idea that somebody was going to exhume her husband's body, stated witness. Relative to a stepson of Mrs. Collins, a half-breed boy, deceased had sent him away or got rid of him in some manner. On one of her visits to the Collins home, Mrs. Collins had told her that five hundred dollars had been provided to get rid of the boy. Since that time she had never seen or heard of him. About a month ago she had advertised for his whereabouts but had received no answer.

Mrs. Collins had never done anything to help any member of her family, asserted Mrs. Hood. Not even would she help her mother when the old lady was sick.

The remark was made that apparently Mrs. Hood hadn't a good word to say for any member of her family.

"Am I not compelled to come here and tell about them?" she demanded.

"If it were not for the money in it you wouldn't do it, I presume," remarked the Court.

Relative to the lack of harmonious relations between the late Mrs. Collins and her mother, witness was asked if her mother had never forgiven her daughter, Mrs. Collins, for getting married at sixteen years of age to a man old enough to be her father. She replied that she had not heard of any disagreement for that reason.

Mr. Moore, counsel for Miss Lang, defendant in the case, many times objected to the submission of evidence not relevant to the case, and to much information submitted by Mrs. Hood that was not evidence at all. His Lordship also on numerous occasions interrupted her. On one occasion he appealed to Mr. Tait to exercise better control over his witness. "Don't let this woman air all her dirty linen in this court," he concluded.

Cross Examination

Cross-examined by Mr. Moore, Mrs. Hood said that the late Mrs. Collins as a girl was afraid of her mother because her mother had given evidence at times of not being in her right mind.

"Did not your mother prefer to live with your sister, Mrs. Reece, rather than with any of your other relations?"

"No," was the answer. "She preferred to live with me. She lived with Mrs. Reece because she didn't know what she was doing."

"In connection with Mrs. Reece's death, isn't it a fact that Mrs. Collins was so disgusted with your treatment of your sister, Mrs. Reece, that she had nothing more to do with you?"

Mrs. Hood replied that such was not the case. She contended that she had treated her sister with kindness. She admitted that she had put her to bed with another relative who was stopping at her house who was sick with measles and that shortly before her death Mrs. Reece developed a measles' rash. But she claimed there was no other bed available.

Following adjournment at noon, several witnesses were called by Mr. Tait, including Mr. James Hood, husband of Mrs. Emma Hood. He claimed that the late Mrs. Collins suffered from delusions.

Cross-examined by Mr. Moore, witness stated that Mrs. Collins had been angry because her sister, now his (Hood's) wife, had married him. She was angry because he was a laborer, he said, and tried to induce his wife to leave him and to cause trouble with his family. She had no sense of sisterly responsibility to any of her relations. Once when her mother was ill and resident at his place, he went to her and asked her to help because he was drawing but a small daily wage and his expenses were heavy. She had suggested, he asserted, that he send some of his family to the police station.

Acted Strangely

Mrs. Clarke, of Hillside Avenue, who had been a neighbor of the late Mrs. Collins for seventeen years and for ten years had worked for her considered her very eccentric. She used to keep a loaded revolver between the mattresses of her bed, witness claimed, and always kept the house doors locked, both the outside and inside doors, even the door leading into the toilet. She thought that she was very strange.

"Once when I was in her house she received some money, and instead of putting it in an iron safe she had in the dwelling, she put it in her stocking. And I thought that was very strange," added Mrs. Clarke. Mrs. Collins had had queer ideas about other things too, she said. She had told her that when she died she wanted her body put in a vault, the door locked, and the key thrown into the sea.

"Her temper was bad, too. If one agreed with everything she said, everything was all right, but if one didn't she got very angry."

Mrs. Collins and her sister, Mrs. Cogan, were always rowing about money, added witness. Each wanted the other to show her bank book, but neither would agree. Mrs. Collins did a lot of talking about wills. She was always making wills, witness stated.

Mr. E. E. Wootton, barrister, who had been the late Mrs. Collins' solicitor from 1901 until 1918, stated that Mrs. Collins had always impressed him as a very capable woman about money matters. During the first few years, when he was solicitor for Mrs. Collins and her late husband, Mr. Collins had directed much of his own affairs, but during later years he seemed to be entirely under the direction of his wife in all matters respecting money.

Mr. Wootton stated he had drawn four wills for the late Mrs. Collins up to 1918. The first was drawn before her husband died, and all her property was left to him. The second was drawn after he died, and by its terms she left $25 each to her two sisters, Mrs. Emma Hood and Mrs. Mary Reece, $1,000 to Miss Annie Green, who was living with her, and $1,000 to Mr. Wootton's eldest son, who was serving overseas at the time. He thought it was strange that she should desire to leave his son such a large sum of money. Asked by Mr. Moore if he did not think the late Mrs. Collins was in perfect control of all her mental faculties at the time the will was drawn, witness answered yes, he considered she was. "Otherwise," he added, "I would not have drawn the will, including, as it did, the sum of $1,000 to my son."

At 4:30 o'clock adjournment was made until 11 o'clock this morning.

SUDDENLY SUCCUMBS

Mr. Frank C. Perretta Drops Dead While at Westholme Hotel—In Business for Some Years

While at the entrance of the Westholme Hotel yesterday, at 1:20 p.m., Mr. Frank C. Perretta, former proprietor of the Modern Macaroni Company, Cormorant Street, was suddenly stricken, and died before medical aid could be summoned. The police were notified and Detective Rogers responded to the call. Coroner Hart was also notified, and ordered the body taken to the McCall undertaking rooms, where it now lies. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

The late Mr. Perretta had been a resident of Victoria for some years. Three years ago he started the macaroni factory on Cormorant Street and carried on until comparatively recently, when he relinquished the business. So far as known, he had no relatives in this city, but a brother is believed to reside in the States, with whom friends of the deceased here are now attempting to get into touch.

JESS IS BREAKING PLAYMATE'S HEART

Prize Winning Airedale Strays From Dog Show Building—Little Mistress Cannot Be Comforted

Somewhere in Victoria, "Jess" is probably making new friends and perhaps has found a new home, but up in Nanaimo her little playmate is grieving for her and wondering if she'll ever come back.

"Jess" is an Airedale terrier, a wonderful little dog, they will tell you at Nanaimo, where she is known the best. The judges at the Kennel Club's show here last week will give the same opinion, too, because "Jess" did well in the exhibition. But her little mistress thinks even more than that of "Jess." To her "Jess" means almost everything.

And it is because of this love of a little girl for her little dog that Victorians are expected to assist in the search. The terrier was on exhibition at the show here on Friday night and on Saturday morning she disappeared. An all-day search on Saturday and another on Sunday failed to locate the wanderer.

Last night an appeal was made to The Colonist to aid in the quest. "We want to find the dog, not because of its being a show dog, but for my little girl's sake," wrote Mrs. P. Seggie, 15 Farquhar Street, Nanaimo. "The child is breaking her heart over it, as the terrier was her only little playmate. It is hard for me to see her so sad. I cannot comfort her at all."

"Jess" is said to know her name very well, but for further identification she wears a collar with tag No. 163. Any information should be communicated to Mr. Harry Dodds, 3182 Albina Street, Victoria. Phone 7510Y1L. A substantial reward has been offered.

BOARD IS AGAINST QUERY TO PARENTS

Saanich Trustees Claim Vote Proposed by Central Parent-Teachers Not Inclusive Enough

That an unofficial vote among the parents on the question of manual training would be useless because any opinion secured should be from the whole of the ratepayers was the opinion expressed last night by the Saanich School Board when it received a request from the Saanich Central Parent-Teachers' Association for permission to distribute questionnaires on the subject of manual training through the schools. The permission desired was refused.

Chairman Holloway thought that the question of manual training should be decided at the next election by candidates supporting both sides entering the field. As it had been stated that in the event of Saanich dropping manual training, the Department of Education would remove its equipment, the chairman proposed that the Minister of Education be requested to allow the equipment to remain until the issue was settled at the polls.

An invitations to the members of the Board to attend a meeting being held in the North Dairy School on May 10 under the auspices of the North Dairy Parent-Teachers' Association to consider manual training was received. Trustee Holloway said that the new combatants should enter the field, whereupon Trustees McWilliam and Cheetham agreed to attend and defend their stand in the question. Other members of the Board may also be there.

OBITUARIES

LANTROW—The funeral of the late Elizabeth Lantrow took place on Wednesday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, and proceeded to the First Baptist Church, where service was conducted at 2 o'clock, the Rev. W. P. Freeman officiating, assisted by Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D. Two hymns were sung, "Till He Comes" and "Forever With the Lord." The casket was covered with many beautiful floral offerings. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. D. N. Bryce, R. Coulthard, Dr. Russell, H. P. Thorpe, D. Smith and J. Hodges. Interment was made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

CHEETHAM—Service over the remains of Abraham Cheetham will be held this afternoon in the chapel of the B. C. Funeral Co. at 2:30, Rev. Fatt officiating. The remains will be interred at Ross Bay Cemetery.

BRIDLE—The remains of Mr. George Bridle are reposing at the B. C. Funeral Chapel, where service has been arranged to take place on Friday afternoon at 3:30. Interment at Ross Bay Cemetery.

WHITTAKER—The funeral of the late Mr. William Whittaker took place yesterday afternoon from the residence at 2:15, proceeding to St. Barnabas' Church, where service was conducted by the Rev. N. E. Smith at 2:30. Many friends attended, and the casket was covered with beautiful floral designs. The hymns sung were "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" and "Abide With Me." The Masons attended in a body, and the Masonic service at the graveside was conducted by Bro. D. S. Robertson, W. M., of Victoria Columbia Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M. The following, all members of the Masonic Order, were pallbearers: M. W. Bro. Angus McKeown, W. Bro. A. Stewart, W. Bro. G. S. Russell, Brothers J. E. Jeffcott, H. A. Porter and Robert Mason. The remains were interred in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

WILKIE—The remains of Mrs. Alice Catherine Wilkie, who passed away on Tuesday, were forwarded by the Thomson Funeral Home on the midnight boat Tuesday to Fort Langley, where interment will be made. Mr. Wilkie accompanied the remains of his mother.

COONEY—Service was held at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock, for the late Joseph Edward Cooney, whose accidental death occurred Monday, April 16. Rev. Dr. Clem Davies conducted the service. The hymn sung was "Jesus, Lover of My Soul." There were many friends present, including members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and of the Masonic Order, of which deceased was a member. After the service the widow and children accompanied the remains on the afternoon boat en route to Port Perry, Ontario, where interment will take place. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. A. W. McKenzie, C. Todd, S. Shaw and F. B. Lane.

The members of United Service Lodge No. 74, A.F. & A.M., are requested to attend at the Masonic Temple, Esquimalt, B.C., at 2:15 p.m. on Friday, the 27th inst., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Wor. Brother G. Bridle. Service at B.C. Funeral Company's chapel at 3:30, thence to Ross Bay.

Members of the Craft are fraternally invited.

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W. H. M. ROLSTON,
Secretary

PARTINGTON—The remains of Mrs. Lily Partington, who passed away at the home of her sister, Mrs. Crawshaw, 1616 Myrtle Street, were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery yesterday afternoon. Service was held at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, at 2:30 o'clock, when the Rev. Wm. Stevenson, of the Emmanuel Baptist Church, officiated. Two favorite hymns of the deceased were sung, "Behold Me Standing at the Door" and "Sleep On, Beloved, and Take Thy Rest." Mr. Lawton Partington presiding at the organ. There were many friends present, and a profusion of beautiful floral designs covered the casket and hearse, showing the high esteem in which the late Mrs. Partington was held by her many friends. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. L. Powell, R. Crawshaw, M. Wilkinson, J. Drybrough, A. Coy and J. McHugh.

WAH—The death occurred on Tuesday evening at the Chinese Hospital, Herald Street, of Lin Hing Wah, aged twenty-four years, a native of China and a resident of this city for the past four years. He leaves to mourn his loss his father, Lin Kee Qui, of 552 Cormorant Street, and one brother, of this city. The remains are reposing at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, whence the funeral will take place.

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Beeswax is an important product of the Dutch East Indies.

MR. VANDERBILT TELLS OF PLANS

MILLIONAIRE JOURNALIST IS VISITOR TO CITY

Dreams of Tremendous Organization for Newspaper Service—Likely to Be Publisher

Dreams, tremendous visions that are expansions of his already notable accomplishments, were unfolded with boyish eargerness to a Colonist representative last night by Cornelius Vanderbuilt, Jr., millionaire journalist, who reached here yesterday, having motored from California on his way to his Summer home on an island in Sproat Lake.

On Monday Mr. Vanderbilt will be twenty-five years of age. It was at the age of twenty that this scion of the immensely rich American family entered journalism with the determination to make good in that field. There were many people, probably, who smiled and called it the passing whim of a notoriety-seeking youth that did not need to work. Mr. Vanderbilt has made rapid strides during the past five years, and today is not only holding high executive offices in various firms, but is receiving for his syndicated articles remuneration said to exceed that obtained for any other similar material, with the exception of the Kaiser's memoirs. Even Lloyd George is getting considerably less for his writing than is Mr. Vanderbilt.

What He Has Done

Before setting forth the ambitions which Mr. Vanderbilt has, it is desirable that the extent of his present activities should be made clear. He does not speak boastfully, and though he is willing to speak freely of his own affairs, he interprets at intervals an expression of a fear that he will be thought too egotistical in speech.

Mr. Vanderbilt has built up his own syndicating organization, the C. V. Newspaper Service, which supplies news, cartoons and features. Then, too, he has a magazine and newspaper advertising firm that now has 268 employees, although it was started in December with only four.

Also in Banking Business

After learning the advertising business, Mr. Vanderbilt invested in Street Railways of the World, Incorporated, the largest advertising concern in the world, and is now the financial vice-president of it. He holds the same position with the Hudson-Fulton Trust Co., which provides a banking service for the customers of the firms with which Mr. Vanderbilt is connected.

He is the vice-president of Payne, Burns & Smith, publishers' representatives. On the Oak Bay Golf Links some months ago he opened negotiations with the late Lord Northcliffe looking to the securing for that firm the business of the Northcliffe publications.

It will be remembered that the young journalist-financier met the late Lord Northcliffe at the Empress Hotel at 6:30 o'clock in the morning, when the noted Englishman was here, drove him out to the links, acted as caddie for him because the caddie boys were not on the job so early in the morning, lunched with him, and finally left him, dropping over the side of the transpacific liner into the pilot boat off this port. During those hours with Lord Northcliffe, Mr. Vanderbilt was not just interviewing him. He was talking business; and negotiations for the representation of the Northcliffe Press on this continent went on by correspondence between Lord Northcliffe and Mr. Vanderbilt and with others after Lord Northcliffe's death, with the result that Payne, Burns & Smith today represent the former Northcliffe publications in North America, in addition to a huge number of other publications both in the United Kingdom and on the continent of Europe. This firm is able to place advertising with sufficient papers in Europe to give a daily circulation of 32,000,000.

A small photo service, called Pacific Press, is another Vanderbilt creation.

Director of Hotel Company

A directorship of the United Hotels of America is another position held by Mr. Vanderbilt. He fought for the building of a new big hotel at Seattle, and was at last successful in getting the immense organization to fall in with his plans, with the result that the people of Seattle subscribed sufficient money for the new hotel, which is to be leased to the United Hotels of America when completed.

The principal interests of Mr. Vanderbilt have been outlined. In addition to these he has a variety of smaller ones.

He is filled with boundless energy, and his brain is teeming with ideas, to which he gives vocal expression in bursts of words interspersed with silent moments of concentration, in which he strives to seize his thoughts and dress them with words. He is looking ahead many years.

Looks Far Ahead

As the young man sat upon a lounge in the lobby of the Empress Hotel last night and discussed his plans with a Colonist raporter, he spoke intensely, throwing upon the mind of the interviewer a picture of tremendous things. But they were just dreams, he hastened to say; they were the things he wanted to do; he was looking as much as twenty-five years ahead. That is quite a distance for a young man of twenty-five.

What is the Vanderbilt goal? It is what he terms a "newspaper department store"; an organization which will provide the various services required by newspapers on a more complete and larger scale than ever before practiced. Already his interests provide a variety of services, but he wants to add to them.

Paper Mills

He is adready considering the provision of a service for the supplying of newsprint to the newspapers. Someday he may include paper mills among his interests, but that is a dream, the fruition of which lies a considerable distance in the future.

Mr. Vanderbilt realises that the pulpwood supplies of the United States will be exhausted before many years have passed. He drew attention to the existence in British Columbia of large supplies and expressed the belief that the Dominion Government should remove the export duty on paper in order to encourage capital to develop the industry. Organizations that will provide an efficiency service for newspapers, an international photograph and movie news-reel service, and a world news service are other contemplated units of Mr. Vanderbilt's scheme.

"Yes," he said, in answer to a question, "I am seriously thinking of entering the publishing field." The various services which he is building up for other papers will serve his own when he gets them. He fully realizes the immensity of the structure which he would erect, and portions of which have alreardy risen, and he has ideals in regard to the use of it. The employment of such an organization for the propagation of the ideas of one or a few men is repugnant to him. His organization will be slave to no "big interests," he asserts.

Standardization Idea

An idea that newspapers can be standardized, just as restaurants and other public services are, is held by Mr. Vanderbilt.

The journalist is accompanied by his wife. The third anniversary of their marriage will occur on Sunday. Mr. C. C. Bingham, vice-president and general manager of the C. V. Newspaper Service, is also with the party which came north from California in Mr. Vanderbilt's new Packard car. Mr. Vanderbilt was busy yesterday gathering data concerning the liquor trade in British Columbia.

The party will proceed to Sproat Lake on Friday. Mr. Vanderbilt expects to be at his Summer home there off and on throughout the Summer, writing and doing executive work.

City & District

Clock and Cash Stolen—An alarm clock and $2 in cash were stolen from his store sometime during Tuesday night, Tin Dun, Chinese, reported to the police yesterday.

Parking Law By-Law Infraction—Mr. F. M. Rattenbury, charged with parking his car opposite a fire hydrant, contrary to the by-law, was fined $5 and costs, in the police court yesterday.

Assaults Chinaman—The case of a minor charged with assaulting a Chinaman, was called in city police court yesterday, but at the request of prosecution was remanded until Saturday.

Chartered Accountants—Mr. J. Haydn Young, of Messrs. George A. Touche & Co., was elected president of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of British Columbia at the annual meeting held on Tuesday at Vancouver.

Appeal for Furniture—The Oak Bay Friendly Help makes an urgent appeal for any articles of furniture for a family who are in dire distress. Any replies should be phoned to Mrs. W. J. Goepel, president, 3325L, or Mrs. Robbins, secretary, 5071L1.

Should Hold Coupons—Holders of coupons for the May Queen contest in the name of Miss Dorothy Peden, the Rotary Club's candidate, should hold them and present them after the competition is over at the office of the New York Life Insurance Company, Sayward Building, Mr. Alex. Peden stated yesterday.

Charged With Gambling—Chow Kee and thirty-three other Chinamen appeared in the police court yesterday as the result of the police raid made Tuesday night on the Oriental Club quarters, Fan Tan alley, charged with being inmates of a gaming house. A total sum of $1,700 was collected as bail money, and after recording, through their counsel, Mr. W. R. Moore, pleas of not guilty, the accused were remanded until next Tuesday morning for hearing.

Enjoyable Recital—A very enjoyable recital was given Tuesday evening by the pupils of Miss Belle Eliers, at her home. Beginners and the more advanced students, alike brought forth genuine response from the audience, and were obliged to give encores. Humorous and serious recitations and a humorous playlet comprised the programme, which was participated in by the Misses McInnes, Doreen Dairs, Crewe, Mustard, I. Davies, Thorpe, Eliers and Mrs. Jenny Dearborn.

Fire Guts Cabin—Fire, which was caused by occupants of the place smoking in bed, gutted the interior of cabin No. 3, at the rear of 640 Pembroke Avenue, at 2:20 o'clock yesterday morning. The occupants of the place, two longshoremen, had a narrow escape, the bed clothing being ablaze when they were awakened by the smoke. They dashed out of the cabin attired in underclothing. They lost their other clothing and effects. The prompt arrival of the fire brigade saved the frame structure from destruction. As it was the interior of the cabin was severely damaged.

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Death Announced of Grand Duchess Louise

BERLIN, April 24.—The death is announced of Grand Duchess Louise of Baden today, mother of Frederick II, head of the Grand Duchy of Baden, and aunt of ex-Kaiser Wilhelm. She was born December 31, 1838, the sister of Emperor Frederick III, and married the late Grand Duke Frederick I of Baden on September 2, 1856.

Christmas 1922 marked the 100th anniversary of the poem "'Twas the Night Before Christmas," written by Dr. Clement Clarke Moore.

CHIEF SCOUT VISITS IN DUNCAN DISTRICT

Inspection of Up-Island Units Carried Out Yesterday by Sir Robert and Lady Baden-Powell

Under the most ideal weather conditions Sir Robert and Lady Baden-Powell yesterday made a trip up the Island, their immediate destination when they started from Victoria about nine o'clock being Duncan, where they were to carry out an inspection of the big Cowichan district contingent of Girl Guides and Boy Scouts.

As soon as they arrived in the outskirts of Duncan the distinguished Chiefs of Scoutdom and Guidedom were met by a scout and guide, who boarded the car and directed them to the recently-opened first Cowichan Girl Guide headquarters, a big hall at which Guides, Brownies, Wolf Cubs and Scouts from the entire district had gathered.

The programme was quite informal, without line-up, inspection, or guard-of honor, the boys and girl after the brief preliminaries "carrying on" just as they do in the ordinary way in their clubroom. Sir Robert and Lady Baden-Powell were welcomed by Miss Denny, District Commissioner of Guides for the Cowichan district; Scoutmaster Bischlager and Assistant Scoutmaster Wright, of the Duncan Boy Scouts; Scoutmaster Major Holme and Assistant Scoutmaster E. Palmer, of the First South Cowichan Scouts.

As the Chiefs arrived at the door of the hall Miss Denny blew her whistle, and everyone came to attention, the Cubs giving their "Grand Howl," the Brownies their "Grand Salute." After this little formality they were instructed to "carry on," and the separate groups continued their signalling, first-aid work, making of carbon-leaves, knot-tying, or whatever it might be. Lady Baden-Powell made a round of the Guide groups, watching them at work; Sir Robert, accompanied by Mr. Bischlager, Scout Commissioner for the Cowichan district, and Scoutmaster of the Duncan Scouts, made a similar tour of the Scout details.

After this informal inspection the children were formed into horseshoe group, and the Chief Scout addressed a few words to them, speaking very simply and in the capacity of "big Brother," laying stress on the Scout motto of doing a good turn to someone every day. Lady Baden-Powell delivered Princess Mary's message to the Guides of Canada. The last ceremony was the presentation by Miss Eileen Dwyer, Company leader of the First Cowichan Company, of a little book of snapshots of Guide camps and other Guide doings in the district.

The National Anthem was followed by three cheers for the King, called for by the Chief Scout; and three cheers for the Chief Guide and Chief Scout, called by Miss Denny.

There were about 150 boys and girls, Guides, Brownies, Scouts, and Cubs, present; also, in addition to the Guide and Scout officers, a number of ladies and geneticmen, members of the committees of these organizations. Miss Hayward, president of the First Cowichan Guides, specially introduced Mrs. Dwyer, tha mother of no less than five daughters who are all Guide patrol leaders and who has a Scout son. Mrs. Dwyer's photograph appeared recently in the Guide Magazine published in England, and Lady Baden-Powell immediately associated the facts.

The Guides were officered as follows:

First Cowichan, Miss N. C. Denny, captain; Miss D. Geoghegan, Miss Douglas-Crampton, Miss Dawson-Thomas, and Miss Phyllis Wallich; Somenos, Miss Henslow; Cobble Hill, Miss Melrose, Miss Barry (Brown Owl.)

EARTH'S TREMOR IS RECORDED LOCALLY

Instruments at Gonzales Observatory Show Quake Lasted One Hour —Originated in Alaska

The seismographic intsruments at the Gonzales Observatory recorded still another earth-tremor just a short time before noon yesterday. This quake, the first records of which began at 11:35, continued for one hour, the estimated distance of the source of the disturbance being 990 miles. Mr. Napier Denison, the superintendent of the Observatory, expresses the view that the centre of the tremor was probably on the Alaskan coast. This would place the trouble in much the same region as the earthquake recorded on the local instruments the previous day. The Tuesday tremor continued for 2 hours, 57 minutes and 55 seconds, the estimated distance of the origin of the disturbance being 1,080 miles.

The quake yesterday morning was of moderate intensity, sufficient, says Mr. Denison, to be recorded right across the continent.

Immigration Increases During Month of March

OTTAWA, April 25.—Immigration increased 22 per cent during March as compared with March of the previous year. Of 6,748 immigrants last month, 3,570 were British and 1,661 from the United States. In March of last year immigrants totalled 5,548, of whom 1,504 were British and 2,670 from the United States.

For the twelve months ended March, total immigration was 72,887, a decrease of 19 per cent as compared with the corresponding twelve months previous.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., April 25, 1923.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer has fallen on the Northern Coast, accompanied by showers, and mild weather is general eastward to Alberta.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	46	60
Vancouver	44	64
Kamloops	26	62
Barkerville		60
Prince Rupert	42	56
Atlin	34	44
Dawson, Y.T.	24	46
Calgary, Alta.	28	70
Winnipeg, Man.	38	54
Portland, Ore.	44	80
San Francisco, Cal.		66
Seattle, Wash.	46	72
Penticton	36	67
Vernon	34	
Grand Forks	26	82
Nelson	32	74
Cranbrook	24	69
Edmonton, Alta.	30	70
Regina, Sask.	32	
Prince Albert, Sask.		62
Battleford	36	66

WEDNESDAY

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Minimum	46
Average	53
Minimum on the grass	37

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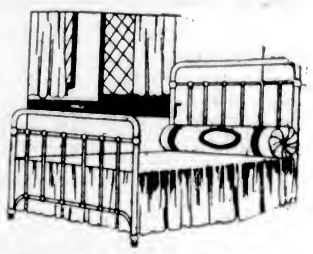

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Social Events

Sir Michael and Lady Sadler

Sir Michael and Lady Sadler will be the guests of honor at a number of functions planned by various organizations in Vancouver during their stay there, on their tour through Canada under the auspices of the National Council of Education. Today the Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., of that city, will entertain Lady Sadler and Miss Gilpin, who accompanies Sir Michael Sadler on his tour, at luncheon. Provincial officers and visiting members attending the Provincial annual meeting will also be present at the luncheon. Sir Michael will also address a meeting of the Provincial Chapter, I.O.D.E., tomorrow afternoon in Vancouver. The business session will be interrupted for the noted educationist's talk.

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Bridge and Mah Jong Tea

Mrs. C. J. Prior, St. Patrick Street, Oak Bay, entertained with one table of bridge and one of mah jong on Tuesday afternoon, a few additional guests coming in to tea. Those present included: Mrs. R. P. Butchart, Mrs. E. G. Prior, Mrs. A. C. Flumerfelt, Mrs. C. F. Todd, Mrs. J. O. Grahame, Mrs Kidd, of Vancouver; Mrs. A. T. Goward, Mrs. W. C. Todd, Mrs. H. A. Ross, Mrs. G. A. Kirk and Mrs Ernest Todd.

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Will Visit Here

Word has been received by the members of the Provincial Department of Agriculture that Mr. S. Springer, the bursar of the Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph, is to visit the City of Victoria on May 15, and will be pleased to meet any old boys of the college. Mr. Springer has been married recently and is at present spending his honeymoon at Long Beach, California.

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Hostess at Small Dance

Mrs. de Noe Walker was the hostess at a small informal dance in her home on the Dallas Road on Monday evening, when she entertained a few friends of her daughter, Miss Isabel Walker, who is shortly leaving for California.

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Home From Hospital

His many friends will be pleased to know that Mr. J. B. H. Rickaby has sufficiently recovered from the operation for appendicitis which he recently underwent at St. Joseph's Hospital to return to his home. He hopes to be able to take up his usual routine very shortly.

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Hostess at Tea Party

Mrs. Peters, Esquimalt, entertained with bridge and mah jong yesterday afternoon, quite a number of other friends coming in to tea later. The house was fragrant with masses of orchard blossoms, while the tea-table was arranged with tulips and other Spring flowers.

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Leaves for Mainland

Mrs. R. S. Ross, 948 Old Esquimalt Road, left recently with her little son for an extended holiday, which she will spend on the Mainland, at first with relatives in Vancouver and later with friends at Chilliwack, and also some time at Crescent, B.C.

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Joint Hostesses at Dance

Mrs. Arthur Nixon and Miss Irwin were the joint hostesses at a very delightful little dance on Tuesday evening in their home on Dunsmuir Road. About eight couples were present.

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Here From England

Mrs. F. H. Adams, Newbury, England, with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Priestly and baby girl, are visiting Victoria for some weeks and are staying at 146 Clarence Street.

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Left for Winnipeg

Mrs. W. Martin, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Victoria for the last several weeks, returned to her home in Winnipeg yesterday.

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Returns From Vancouver

Mr. H. G. Hinton has returned from Vancouver, where he attended the annual meeting of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of British Columbia.

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Tea for Younger Set

Miss Isobel Munn entertained a few of her girl friends at tea yesterday afternoon.

NANAIMO

Miscellaneous Shower

At Nanaimo on Monday evening the Misses Dorothy Weeks and Kate Vater were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Katherine McDonald. The color scheme was effectively carried out in orange and curly lilies. During the evening Master Tommy Weeks drew into the room a cart laden with many useful gifts. The invited guests included Mrs. Ingham, Miss May, Mrs. Drysdale, Mrs. R. R. Hindmarch, Mrs. E. Hughes, Mrs. Trawford, the Misses Gladys Hindmarch, R. Cunliffe, Inez Rutherford, I. McMillan, C. Dunsmore, M. Bill, N. Dunn, Mary Sharp, G. Brown, M. Trawford and the members of Malaspina Chapter, I. O. D. E., of which Miss McDonald is a very active member.

SAANICH

Birthday Honored

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stewart, of Saanichton, surprised them at their home on Monday night to offer birthday congratulations to their host, and a merry evening was spent. Solos by Mrs. R. W. Staggett and Mr. George Sutherland added much to the enjoyment of the guests, while chorus numbers were an added pleasure. Mrs. J. Stewart acted as accompanist. A beautifully decorated birthday cake was presented to the guest of honor, and at midnight a dainty repast was served.

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Red Deer Visitor

Mr. Evan Roberts, of Red Deer, Alta., who has been spending a holiday at the Coast, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Heyworth on Sunday, prior to his departure for his prairie home.

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Entertainment

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lindsay entertained a few young people on Saturday evening at their home on Verdier Avenue. Games and music were the evening's pastimes. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

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From Vancouver

Mrs. Leonhardt and children, of Vancouver, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Ludlow and Mrs. Clark, Keating Cross Road.

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Spends Day in City

Mr. Langley spent Monday in the city as the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Turner.

CHEMAINUS

Spent Week-End in Capital

Mr. and Mrs. James Cathcart, the Misses Doris and Hazel Cathcart motored to the Capital City on Saturday, where they spent the week-end, returning on Sunday evening.

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Makes Favorable Progress

Mrs. George Lepper, who underwent an operation for appendicitis three weeks ago, has made such splendid progress towards recovery that she had returned home.

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Conducted Services

The Rev. H. T. Archbold, of Victoria, officiated at the services on Sunday at the Church of St. Michael and All Angels and Crofton School House.

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Visits Duncan

Mrs. R. Henry Smiley was the week-end guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Powel, at Duncan.

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Receive Congratulations

Mr. and Mrs. Jaundrew are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son born last week in the local hospital.

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Guest of Parents

Mrs. Grace McInnes was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. George McInnes.

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Visits Cousins

Mrs. Pearmain, and Miss Edna Pearmain are the guests of their cousin, Mrs. Longrigge, at the Lewisville Hotel.

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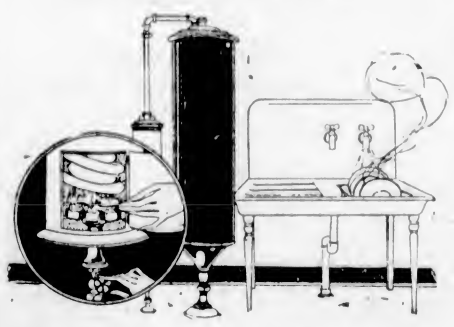

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Esquimalt Chapter Convenes Silver Tea With Happy Results

The silver tea and sale of home cooking held at the home of Mrs. A. R. Wolfenden yesterday afternoon proved an unqualified success in every way, and the funds of the Esquimalt Chapter, I.O.D.E., under whose auspices it was held, will be materially augmented thereby. Mrs. Booth and Mrs. F. R. Wright were sales ladies at the home cooking stall; Mrs. J. R. Francis looked after the finances; Mrs. Ranns and Mrs. Cave supervised the buffet tea arrangements, while Mrs. Napier-Hewey, Miss Wolfenden and Miss Frances Price assisted in serving. The floral decorations were exquisitely arranged and were composed of daffodils, narcissus, primroses, white arabis and lady's slippers.

Mrs. Wolfenden, assisted by the chapter's secretary, Mrs. G. S. McTavish, received the guests upon arrival, and Mrs. Nathaniel Shaw was in charge of the programme, which was largely the work of Mrs. Walsh Nasmith's pupils.

Mrs. Nasmith filled the office of accompanist, and arranged the several items, which were as follows: Dance by Miss Rosemary Nasmith, a pupil of Mrs. Wendell Shaw; songs and encores, Mrs. Horner; recitations, Miss Ella Pottinger, of the B.C. Dramatic School; song and encore, Miss Hilda Pottinger; song and encore, Miss Annie Jalland; three songs, Miss Vivien Moggey; recitation, Mrs. Rosemary Nasmith; songs, Miss Eileen Bennett; songs, Miss Agnes Carne.

During the afternoon cheques were received from Lady Barnard and Mrs. H. Croft, both of whom found it impossible to be present. The former was for $10.00 and the latter $5.00.

The regent and members of the chapter desire to thank Mrs. Wolfenden and all who assisted in any way, especially Mrs. Walsh Nasmith and the talented artists who provided the delightful programme, every number of which was so highly appreciated by the audience.

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University Players Appearing at the Royal on Monday Night

Mr. Neill McCallum and Miss Beatrice Fordham Johnson in a Scene From the University Players' Club Production of G. Bernard Shaw's "You Never Can Tell," at the Royal, Monday, April 30.

Beautiful Voices Heard in Sacred Recital Last Night

"The Seven Last Words of Christ," music by Theodore Dubois, member of the French Academy, was admirably rendered last night at St. Andrew's Cathedral by the Cathedral's augmented choir, conducted by Father Wood. The choir was magnificent in attack and sympathetic unison and harmony. The solo parts were sung by Miss Eva Hart, soprano; Mr. Bullock-Webster, baritone; Mr. Drake, tenor, and Mr. Frank Sehl, bass. Miss McKay presided at the organ, and before the recital commenced Mr. Thomas Kelway sang most artistically "Hosannah."

Although all the parts were sung with deep feeling and sincerity, Part 5, "I Thirst," tenor, baritone and chorus, was particularly beautiful, the chorus rounding out the dramatic element with great fervor. Part 7, "It Is Finished," soprano, tenor, baritone and chorus, was another selection magnificently rendered.

C. P. R. Social Club Holds Final Dance At Empress Tonight

The C.P.R. Social Club draws its season to a close tonight with a grand ball at the Empress Hotel. Everything promises a grand climax to a most successful season. Professor Ozard's seven-piece orchestra will be in attendance with the very latest hits in dance music. Dancing commences at 9 and continues until 2. A buffet supper will be served between 11 and 11:30. Invitation tickets are not required for this event.

In all probability the C.P.R. candidate for "May Queen" will be formally introduced during the evening, and votes will be on sale to further her chances of success.

LIBERAL LADIES HOSTS

Social and Dance at Party Headquarters Last Night Proves Successful Affair

There was a large attendance at the social and dance held under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Liberal Club at Liberal headquarters, corner of Government and Broughton Streets, last night. The members of the club had made excellent preparation for the event, which was voted an entire success by those present. Zala's orchestra rendered an excellent dance programme, and following dancing refreshments were served. Among those present were Hon. John Hart and Mrs. Hart; Mr. J. A. B. Clearihue, M.P.P.; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hall; Mr. I. R. Carlow, president of the Central Liberal Association, and many others.

Next Monday evening Ward One Liberals will entertain with a social and dance at the same place.

CONCERT AT SIDNEY

Programme Tonight in Union Church by the Choir of St. Andrew's Church

A sacred concert of unusual merit will be given in the Union Church, Sidney, tonight, at 8 o'clock, by the choir of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Victoria, under the leadership of Mr. Jesse Longfield.

The soloists will be Mrs. Jesse Longfield, Miss A. Wright, Mrs. Durrant, Miss Harvey and Miss Renwick, and Messrs. F. Francis, K. Angus and W. Melville. Mr. Longfield will preside at the organ and Mr. C. Spencer at the piano.

Hailstones Like Eggs Wreck Texas Village

Every Window Broken in Fifty-Mile Wind Storm, People Leave District

HENRIETTA, Texas, April 25.—Virtually every building in this community of 3,000 in North Central Texas, was wrecked by a storm last night, with an estimated damage of $200,000. A fifty-mile wind threw hailstones as large as hen's eggs, breaking every window in town. Hail to the depth of a foot on the streets and water two feet deep in the cellars sent many persons on their way to Wichita Falls, 20 miles away, for temporary protection. The St. Elmo Hotel, a three-story building, had its roof blown in and the interior badly damaged.

The favorable trade balance for the United States for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1922, was about a billion dollars

BANQUET LAUNCHES MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Y.W.C.A. Hostesses at Luncheon to Inaugurate Campaign Movement —Has Strong Backing

The Y. W. C. A. membership drive started off yesterday at midday amid great enthusiasm, when about seventy volunteers sat down to a delicious luncheon.

After enjoying the meal, which was preceded by prayer by the Rev. A. de B. Owen and grace pronounced by the Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, Alderman Sargent, who attended in the unavoidable absence through illness of Mayor Hayward, spoke very effectively. He commended the association for work already accomplished and gave the workers very good advice to be observed in their canvass for members. His address was received most enthusiastically. Mrs. M. G. Moore, chairman of the campaign committee, spoke a few words giving final encouragement and advising the canvassers above all to be enthusiastic over the work in hand. Enthusiasm always begat enthusiasm. She then spoke of the principal speaker at the Kumtuks' luncheon last Monday, whose theme was the Y. W. C. A. Summer camp at Banff. The benefits to be derived by a business girl who visits the camp were pointed out, and it was suggested that the Kumtuks start one here. Mrs. Moore called attention to the fact that in an article published in The Colonist last Saturday these very camps were mentioned, and the hope expressed that Victoria might boast of one in the near future, conducted by the Y. W. C. A.

The Rotarians, Chamber of Commerce, Liberal-Conservatives, Native Daughters, Kumtuks and the various churches were well represented at the luncheon.

Many workers brought in lists of new members to be placed upon the books as soon as they were opened, not waiting for the drive to commence. Among these were four life memberships.

The committee in charge expressed its sincere appreciation of the generosity of the following who contributed to the menu: David Spencer, Limited; Hudson's Bay Company, H. O. Kirkham Company, P. Burns Company, Shelly's, Golden West Bakery, Rennie & Taylor, and the Vancouver Island Milk Producers' Association, as well as to the ladies of the various churches represented on the board. It was announced that every new member would be given a receipt at the time of joining, and membership cards would be sent to them in due course.

Scarcely had the headquarters, 636 Yates Street, opened yesterday when a lady came in and said that she would like to join for herself and two daughters. As soon as she read in the paper that this drive was to be inaugurated she had decided that she would come down and join without solicitation. It is hoped there are many more Victorians like her.

Afternoon tea will be served at the drive headquarters each afternoon this week.

Yesterday afternoon tea was served at the headquarters, Yates Street, from 3:30 to 6 o'clock, and a musical programme, organized by Miss Kate Hemming, included vocal solos by Mrs. Shaw, Miss Iris Stafford; violin solos by Mrs. Moore; Miss Tetlow playing the accompaniments.

COMING EVENTS

Baby Clinic—A baby clinic under the auspices of the Esquimalt Women's Institute, will be held at the Lampson Street school, Esquimalt, on Saturday morning next, at 10 o'clock.

Kings Daughters—The monthly business meeting of the King's Daughters will be held in the Rest Room, Monday, April 30, at 2:30 p.m., when the report of the flower show will be given and plans for the forthcoming annual meeting and convention discussed.

Sing-Song and Dance — Yarrow's Amateur Athletic Society is holding its annual meeting at the Sailors' Club at 8:30 on Friday evening. All members and their wives are invited, as a supper will be served, after which the members intend having a jolly sing-song and dance.

Central W.C.T.U. — The parlor social of the Central W.C.T.U., which was arranged for tomorrow afternoon, has been postponed until Thursday, May 10th, when it will be held at Mrs. Mitchell's home, 541 Superior Street. The Rev. H. T. Archbold will address the meeting.

Rummage Sale — The ladies of Christ Church Cathedral Parish Guild are arranging a rummage sale, to take place in the Cathedral schoolroom next Wednesday, May 2. Those who can contribute articles are asked to communicate with the president of the guild, Mrs. A. J. Dallain, Niagara Street.

Gyro Club Meeting—The regular monthly business meeting of the Gyro Club of Victoria will take place tonight at 6:15 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce dining-room, Arcade Building. A number of important business matters will be considered, and a full attendance of members is requested.

Marigold Ball Dance—A masquerade dance will be held in Marigold Hall tomorrow evening, and as this is likely to be the last dance of the series, a record attendance is expected. Hunt's orchestra, with all the latest music, will be in attendance from 9 o'clock till 1 in the morning. White's bus will leave the corner of Johnson and Douglas Street at 1 o'clock.

Young People's Entertainment—St. Saviour's young people have offered to repeat their entertainment entitled, "Pictures in Porcelain," in Christ Church Cathedral schoolroom on Friday evening, for the benefit of the new cathedral building funds. A number of scenes representing English life, customs and dress in the eighteenth century will be given, accompanied by illustrative songs and dances.

Elks' Big Dance—Members of the Victoria Lodge No. 2, B.P.O.E., have completed final arrangements for their big dance and village fair, which they will conduct this evening in their club quarters, Weller Block, Douglas Street. The function will continue from 9 o'clock until 1 a.m., with Heaton's three-piece orchestra in attendance. A buffet supper will be served. A number of novel features will be introduced during the evening.

To Hold Peg Dance—Daughters of England, Primrose Lodge, will hold a Peg Dance tomorrow evening at the A.O.F. Hall. Rose's orchestra will be in attendance, and during the evening refreshments will be served. The dance will be a novelty affair, as each guest entering the ballroom will receive a clothes pin with a ribbon attached. When they discover their partners, who will be presented with a similar pin and decoration, they will march into supper.

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Mrs. Walter Nichol Kindly Consents to Sing for April Programme of Ladies' Musical

Mrs. Walter Nichol, in addition to lending Government House for the April Saturday afternoon recital of the Ladies' Musical Club, has very graciously consented to sing on this occasion. Mrs. Nichol is one of the most critical and discerning students; in Vancouver, where she lived for many years, she was actively prominent in the musical life; in Victoria she has been a consistently generous patron of music and has shown a keen interest in the work of the Ladies' Musical Club ever since she came here.

Saturday's musicale, which will be open only to club members, will introduce other distinguished talent. Miss Una Calvert, a pupil of the famous Josef Lhevinne, and her sister, Miss Joy Calvert, who studied under Leopold Auer, Ysaye, and other noted violinists, have very kindly agreed to take part on the programme; Mme. Sanderson, a great favorite with local audiences, will recite to musical accompaniment composed and played by Miss Ora Pearson; Mrs. Hansen, a talented pianist, will play for the first time on one of the club's programmes; and Mr. Harry Davis, a popular baritone, will sing.

The programme will begin at 3:30.

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CHAPTER

The Green Stone Again

Rupert was not present at the greeting of brother and sister. Sir William demanded his services at the critical moment, and Rupert was not sorry; he was in no humor for an immediate encounter with Eric.

In the course of the afternoon, however, Sir William having retired, Eric came into the study. For a moment or two Rupert fancied the young man was about to make a clean breast of it. One may suspect that Eric was then wavering on the brink of confession, and presume that a helping word from Rupert would have caused him to take the plunge. But interval of reflection had not allayed Rupert's soreness of spirit, and, humanly enough, he was disposed to let the other struggle in his quagmire of deceit for, at least, the present. Only for Kathleen's sake could he have shown calmness and courtesy on Eric's entrance.

Eric began by hoping he was not interrupting Mr. Lingard's work, and not being discouraged, advanced to the writing-table and laid thereon the documents he had redeemed that morning.

"Thanks," said Rupert, "but, really, it was not necessary. I daresay you are feeling a trifle easier now."

"I ought to be," was the not very steady answer. Then in a burst—"Mr. Lingard, I hope you believe in my gratitude for all you've done for me."

The words sounded sincere; they touched Rupert, though he told himself that Kathleen had prompted them.

"No need to say any more about it," he said, but less coldly than he intended.

"Well, it's hopeless to try to say what I feel. I—— do wish," stammered the boy, "I weren't so beastly unworthy."

Here was the moment for the helping word, but Rupert merely remarked, without apparent irony: "Now that you're on the right road, you must look forward rather than back."

A silence folowed, which was probably as oppressive to the one as to the other. Rupert ended it.

"Naturally you must be feeling a bit cheap after what you've gone through. What about a change of scene?"

Eric brightened a little. "That's Kitty's idea, too," he said. "She wants me to take her down to Devon for a week or so. In fact, we've practically decided to go on Monday."

"That's right," said Rupert, playing with his pen.

"Kitty has been awfully decent, you know."

Rupert glanced at him. After all, it was impossible to conceive any real vice in Eric—only a deplorable weakness.

"I think you can guess," he said quietly, "how you can repay your sister."

"I'm going to try . . . Mr. Lingard—"

"Yes?"

"I—I'm afraid you're pretty busy just now." It was not at all what Eric had started to say.

"Well, if you'll forgive me, I am," Rupert returned with the semblance of a smile. "Sir William is not so patient as usual—"

"Then I'll clear out." It appeared as though he were about to offer his hand, but after a moment's hesitation he moved to the door. "I had something to tell you about Valery," he said, his fingers on the handle, "and about the cheque—"

"Suppose we leave all that until you come back from Devon."

"Very well; just as you like. . . . In case I don't see you before I go, good-bye, Mr. Lingard."

"Good-bye," said Rupert, and something impelled him to add: "Good luck, Eric."

As the door closed, he threw himself back in the chair. The situation was getting beyond him. He wanted to curse Eric, and could not. He knew that if Eric came to him again in distress, he would move heaven and earth to help him. For Kathleen's sake?

His heart answered Yes; his conscience No. For there was no shirking the possibility—that but for Mr. Windermere's gambling establishments Eric Harland would not have come to disaster, and through disaster to dishonesty and deceit.

Kathleen entered. The anxiety had left her eyes, and Rupert experienced a sensation of relief, though he hoped she had not come to discuss her brother.

"Thank you, but I'm not going to wait," she said as he placed a chair for her. "Eric has told you of our proposed holiday."

"It's the very thing, and I was glad to hear that you had decided—"

"I haven't just decided," she said. "I'm wondering whether I ought to go when my grandfather's health seems so uncertain. What did you think of him, Rupert?"

Rupert smiled. "Honestly, I could see nothing wrong with Sir William—except his temper."

"I can't imagine why he should have been so upset by that green stone," she said.

"Well, you know he rather prides himself on his method and orderliness, and the revelation of the reverse must have been, to put it mildly, annoying."

"Yes. . . . Still, that hardly seems to account for what happened later—after he had come downstairs. I told you how I found him staring and—and swearing at the stone; but I ought to have said he was cursing it as though it had done him an injury."

"Really, it becomes quite sensational, Kathleen!"

"Now you are laughing at me," she said, flushing slightly. "All the same, I'm convinced there is something unpleasant—I won't say uncanny—about that green stone."

"It is high time you were off to Devon," he said lightly.

"You think I ought to go?"

"Most certainly! Between Andrews and the nurse, who might easily find a more serious case, Sir William will be well looked after. And, of course, I'll do what I can." He hesitated before adding: "If you wish it, I'll send you a daily bulletin?"

"Will you? And you won't think twice about recalling me, if I'm required? . . . Very well, I think I shall go on Monday. Eric wants to travel by an early train." She turned to leave the room.

"In that case, I am not likely to see you before you go," he said overtaking her, and offered her his hand.

"Good-bye, Kathleen—and the best of holidays!"

"Thank you, Rupert," she answered, smiling, and went out. As the door closed behind her, her eyes filled with tears. "In some way he has changed," she told herself sadly.

As for Rupert, he turned back to the writing-table and proceeded to make things tidy for the week-end. He was free until ten o'clock on Monday, and the thought of going out of town occurred to him. But almost in the same moment he remembered that his finances were no longer ample for such a proceeding.

"I suppose it has a funny side," he reflected grimly. "I had better get along and do some work at Brick Court. . . . No! I can't write tonight. I wonder if Dick Hathaway is home. I must get away from my own ideas for a while."

His enquiry through the telephone was answered in the voice of his old friend just returned from New York, and a meeting was fixed for seven o'clock.

CHAPTER VI.

News From Kathleen

With the new week came a calm. Rupert arrived at St. John's Wood to find Kathleen and Eric gone, Andrews bearing himself with something like his old dignity and composure, and Sir William more amenable to the physician's orders and less irascible towards those who served him. At the same time, it was not hidden from Rupert that man and master were, each in his own way, exercising self-restraint. Yet he could not bring himself to accept the butler's startling statement. Incredible that Sir William, whose income had always far exceeded his expenditure, should seek to possess any gem except by honorable means! Sir William, having unhappily become aware of the defect in his memory, had simply lost his sense of proportion, and taken frantic measures to cover up his shame, as he deemed it to be. The dread of being thought old is by no means confined to one sex, and is far more terrifying to many human beings than age itself. Well, reflected Rupert, that was one part of the explanation, the other being, sadly enough, that Andrews was failing like his master. Still there was one question he desired to ask the butler.

The opportunity came late in the afternoon, when Sir William had obediently gone to bed.

"Andrews, from whom do you think Sir William took the stone?"

"I could not say, sir."

"From the gentleman who was here that afternoon?"

"The gentleman helped me search for the stone, but he was so little interested that I could not imagine it was his. And yet, sir, would Sir William be showing him a stone that was unlawfully his?"

"There you are! Either he deliberately stole it from his visitor, which you doubt, or it was lawfully his, which you doubt still more. Come, man, do you still assert that the stone was stolen?"

"I do," was the answer, doggedly given in a low voice. "Else why am I prepared to tell, at any moment, a story to show that it was not stolen? That story was not invented only for yourself and Miss Harland. It is ready for the person, whoever he is, who may one day come forward and accuse my master."

"You put it very convincingly," Rupert observed. "But Sir William did not tell you all that."

"His fear told me. . . . Sir, Lingard, I have known his face all those years, and I never saw fear in it before. In a way, I thank you for disbelieving me to begin with, but for his own sake, I beg you to believe me now—otherwise, you will not watch him as he requires to be watched, and someday he'll forget himself and—and do it again."

Andrews ended with a heavy sigh.

"Do you realize what you're saying?" Rupert exclaimed, his confidence collapsing. "That Sir William has become a kleptomaniac?"

"That's the ugly word sir," muttered Andrews, as one who hears what he dare not express.

There was silence till Rupert said—"I still hope that you may be wrong." He was conscious that his voice sounded disheartened. "All this must remain a secret between us," he went on. "You may count on me whatever happens."

"I know I could, sir, once I got you to believe," the butler returned.

Rupert put some questions respecting Sir William's fairly numerous visitors during his own absence on holiday, but obtained no enlightenment from the other's answers, and the interview came to an end.

The days passed uneventfully. The notes posted to Kathleen every afternoon were merely reassuring reports of her grandfather's condition; Rupert did not trust himself to write on personal matters.

(To Be Continued)

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Royal Bride Frankly Talks of Her Plans

Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, Who Today Becomes Duchess of York, Tells of Her Desire to Enter Fully Into the Responsibilities of Her Position and to Assist Her Husband in His Welfare Work

When Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon marries the Duke of York today, no other woman will stand between her and succession to the British throne, as the Prince of Wales, heir to the crown, is still a bachelor. On her marriage, Lady Elizabeth, as a royalty, will be beyond interviews. Below appears the only interview granted by her. It is a remarkable and frank picture of a charming girl who was won by true love—the picture of her character as disclosed by herself in her chat on her childhood, the ghosts she has met in her family's castle, Glamis—built in 1376—and her trousseau and wedding gifts. She tells which else besides and gives an unusual picture of the home life of the British royal family.

This interview was interdicted by high command in England, but permission was given for its publication abroad. It was passed on by Lady Elizabeth and by Commander Greig, the Duke of York's equerry. It appears exclusively in The Daily Colonist, and was secured by the North American Newspaper Alliance.

Lady Elizabeth herself, in a note written and signed in her own hand, gave permission for publication in America, after having granted the interview to Jean Victor Bates, one of the foremost of British newspaper women and herself the member of a distinguished family.

By JEAN VICTOR BATES

(Late private secretary to Lord Carson, the great Ulster leader, and sister of the Right Hon. Sir Dawson Bates, M.P., Minister of Home Affairs in the Northern Parliament)

LONDON, April 25.—The most talked-of girl in Europe, Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, who is being married to-morrow to the Duke of York, confessed in an outspoken, exclusive interview which she accorded me that she is awed by the great position which is soon to be hers.

With a girlish candor in which, once she has become a member of the British royal family, she never again will be able to indulge, the future Duchess of York told of her hopes of serving her country and of ultimately solving some of its industrial problems by co-operating in the welfare work for the toilers of Britain to which her husband-to-be, ever since the end of the war, has devoted a considerable part of his time and energy.

Naively Lady Elizabeth talked of her already daughter-like relations with Queen Mary, of her wedding dress and wedding plans, of her carefree youth, and—last but not least—of the famous ghosts of Glamis Castle, which spectres, to my considerable surprise (won't the statement delight Sir Arthur Conan Doyle!) she declared she has more than once "looked in the face."

This is the first interview worthy of the name that Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon has given to a representative of the press. Being now absolutely insured by royal command against unwelcome journalistic invasion, she is all but unapproachable.

Fortune therefore favored me greatly when, thanks to a personal acquaintance, I found myself admitted to the town house of her father, the Earl of Strathmore, 17 Bruton Street, and privileged to put questions freely to the Duke of York's fiancee, soon to be the fourth lady in the United Kingdom, and, if anything should prevent the accession of the Prince of Wales, one day England's queen.

It was in a room of Victorian atmosphere that I waited, rose-tinted as to curtains and covers, with great pots of Spring flowers distributed on mantels and tables. There were book-filled shelves, topped with large autographed photographs of the King, the Queen and the Duke of York.

Literally covering the sofas, tables and the floor were cases of wedding presents, which had been unpacked and the gifts put back again for removal, I inferred, to Buckingham Palace, where the royal presents are to be displayed after the reception on the wedding day.

My mental camera had taken in only just a part of the picture when Lady Elizabeth entered. A Barrie-esque little woman, genial of manner, smiling, merry, unconscious of self.

"I am so sorry to have kept you waiting. I am always late; I hope you don't mind."

Looks a Bit Like a Shop

She tossed her little blue toque on a nearby chair and ran her fingers through her jet black hair as she pushed it from her brow.

"This room certainly looks a bit like a shop, doesn't it with all these boxes about? Yes, we are receiving many, many presents. Best of all, I like the useful ones. We have to start from the very beginning, you know, to furnish our house, and a house cannot be comfortable, done with just ornaments and silver, can it? I don't really know half the people who are sending me things. I am simply thrilled with gratitude. And antiques, which I never could afford to collect—my friends, who know, are sending such rare and lovely ones!"

"You will be Princess Elizabeth after your marriage, will you not?"

"I really don't know. I believe I shall be a Royal Highness, but personally I don't mind what I am called."

"You will have a lady-in-waiting?"

"Oh, I suppose I shall have someone with me at big ceremonies, but not always, I fancy. Do you know, it is awfully embarrassing to prophesy about myself, and it is difficult to say suddenly just what I like to do, definitely mentioning my tastes in books, music, art and sports. Interviews quite frighten me.

"The day of my engagement sixteen journalists rushed into the hall of this house and demanded news. I thought it very nice of them to be interested and all I could say was: 'I am very happy and I want to make others happy.' But that was not enough. They wanted to know when the Duke proposed to me; how often he proposed; what I said when he proposed and so on."

I looked at the pretty girlish face and a wave of sympathy came over me. How could this young lovely girl and free character bend to all the etiquette and rules of a court so strict as the court of England?

I said: "Do you not feel it rather difficult to be the fiancee of a royalty?"

"Difficult, yes, that is why—" She broke off abruptly.

I filled in the gap to say that was why she refused the Duke of York's offer of marriage until youth and love became too strong to refuse longer.

"You have refused to marry the Duke of York several times?"

"Yes," came the answer, with girlish honesty. "I said to him I was afraid. It seemed too big a thing to decide—as a royalty never, never again be free to think, or speak, or act as I really feel I ought to think, or speak, or act. I do so want to help him. He is so keen on his welfare work, you know. He does so love the men and women who work. He is trying to find out just how he can make their lives easier and happier. When I marry him I hope to begin to work, too. I might help the working women and together we may do a lot. You see, the Duke feels that he must first really understand all about the industrial problem, for one can never do any good unless one understands things, and, unless one is practical, talk can do nothing. So he reads omnivorously on the subject, especially books that explain the workers' point of view.

Love Will Solve Problems

"He studies hard, goes to meetings down at the factories and everywhere, just to learn at first hand; and I mean to do the same thing because I think these industrial problems and puzzles have to be solved. If we make up our minds to try and solve them in good friendship and out of love for one another and for our country, we will somehow and some time, I think, get things set right."

There is a curious something about Lady Elizabeth that hints at strange and beautiful possibilities. Though small and almost fragile in figure, with tiny feet and tiny hands, she is possessed of a wonderful girlish air of dignity—and her face—looking at her one realizes why ancient writers of austere temperament so frequently

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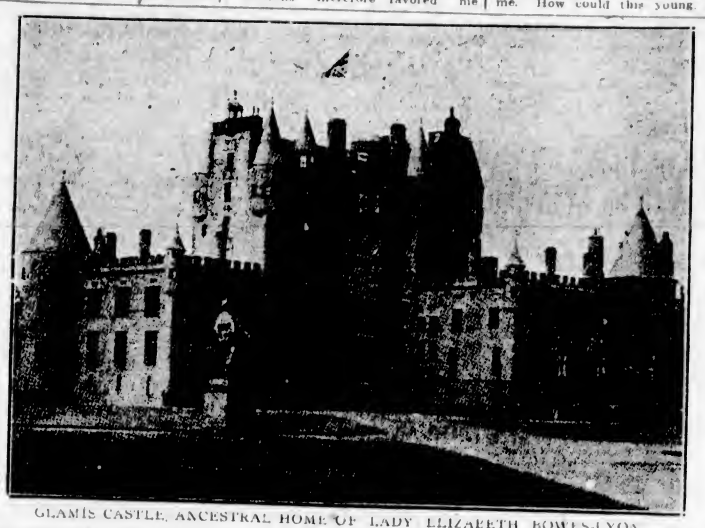

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THE SPORTING WORLD

Amateur Ball Race Opens in Victoria In Couple of Weeks

Three Teams Will Provide the Excitement for the Fans in This Season's Race for the Diamond Pennant—Exhibition to Be Played as Part of Maytime Frolic Programme

QUALITY, not quantity, will be the motto of the senior amateur baseball league this year. Only three teams have entered the league, but it is expected that these three clubs will contain the pick of the local diamond talent and that the series of games, which will start on May 12 and continue until August 4, will provide some very high-class amateur ball.

The schedule, which is appended, calls for two games a week, on Tuesdays and Saturdays. The first games will be played by the C.P.R. and Eagles on Saturday, May 12, and it is expected that His Worship, Mayor Hayward, will consent to perform the customary ceremony of sending the first ball across the plate—or thereabouts.

Will Affiliate

May 26 has been left as an open date to allow the C.P.R. to stage an exhibition game against a foreign team, as an added attraction of the Maytime frolics. The local league will affiliate with the B. C. Amateur Baseball Association, which will allow the winner of the local series to play off for the provincial championship. Walter Lorimer will represent the local league at the meeting of the association to be held in Vancouver on Saturday of this week.

An innovation this year which met with the approval of the local balltossers was that of allowing a team playing for the championship to use three players in addition to their own regulars, to be taken from other teams in their own league. If this is adopted by the provincial body Victoria will be in full accord.

The schedule for the season is as follows:

The Schedule

May 12—C.P.R. vs. Eagles.
15—Auto-Motives vs. C.P.R.
19—Eagles vs. Auto-Motives.
22—C.P.R. vs. Eagles.
29—Auto-Motives vs. C.P.R.
June 2—Eagles vs. Auto-Motives.
5—C.P.R. vs. Eagles.
9—Auto-Motives vs. C.P.R.
12—Eagles vs. Auto-Motives.
16—C.P.R. vs. Eagles.
19—Auto-Motives vs. C.P.R.
23—Eagles vs. Auto-Motives.
26—C.P.R. vs. Eagles.
30—Auto-Motives vs. C.P.R.
July 3—Eagles vs. Auto-Motives.
7—C.P.R. vs. Eagles.
10—Auto-Motives vs. C.P.R.
14—Eagles vs. Auto-Motives.
17—C.P.R. vs. Eagles.
21—Auto-Motives vs. C.P.R.
24—Eagles vs. Auto-Motives.
28—C.P.R. vs. Eagles.
31—Auto-Motives vs. C.P.R.
Aug. 4—Eagles vs. Auto-Motives.

The home team is the last mentioned in each case.

AUSTRALIANS WILL PROBABLY STAY IN

NORMAN BROOKS' TEAM TO PLAY FOR DAVIS CUP

Public Subscription Will Be Raised to Fill Anderson's Place While Away From Business

MELBOURNE, April 25.—The secretary of the Australian Lawn Tennis Association announced today that he was virtually certain that the team selected by Norman Brooks—James O. Anderson, J. B. Hawkes, Schlesinger and I. D. McInnis—will represent Australia in the 1923 Davis Cup play. The difficulty encountered in the completion of the team through the inability of Anderson to leave his business has been overcome, the secretary said, by the offer of a public subscription with which to procure a business substitute for the player while he is away.

American Golf Team Will Make Attempt to Lift St. George's Cup

LONDON, April 25.—All the members of the American golf team, which will defend the Walker Cup at St. Andrew's, have been entered for the St. George's cup competition to be played over the Royal St. George's course at Sandwich, May 2 and 3, it was announced today.

Mr. John F. Navilis, of San Francisco, has also entered for the competition.

This will be the first occasion in the history of the cup of an organized attempt to take it out of England.

The cup, of solid gold, and occasioned the finest golf trophy in the world, was first played for 35 years ago.

The winner of the event does not receive the cup itself, but a reproduction of it.

The members of the American team with the exception of Sweetzer and Guimet played four ball matches at Sunningdale this afternoon. The weather was poor, but this did not hamper Fred Wright, jr., who had an approximate score of 73, or one below the amateur record for the course.

EACH HOMER MEANS THOUSAND DOLLARS

Salvation Army Will Benefit Every Time Babe Ruth Smashes Out Circuit Clout in May

NEW YORK, April 25.—Babe Ruth has taken on an added incentive for busting home runs during May. Each time he knocks a four-bagger a number of lawyers will dig up either from friends or their own pockets $1,000 for the Salvation Army in New York.

The agreement between Ruth and the lawyers was made today.

French to Allow Rest Intervals in Tennis

PARIS, April 25.—A ten-minute rest period after the third set in tennis matches contested between men players and a similar intermission after the second set in matches in which women participate will be permitted at all tournaments played in France this Summer, the French Tennis Federation has decided. This has been done in the United States many years.

NANAIMO BASEBALL

First Game of Season With Granby Results in Tie of Eight Runs All

NANAIMO, April 24.—The Nanaimo baseball team played their first game of the season Sunday afternoon, when they visited Granby, the result being a tie game, the score standing 8-8 at the end of the ninth. Nanaimo had several new faces on the team, the most conspicuous being Rice at third base, and Gardener on the receiving end of the battery. The former, although playing out of his regular position, made a good showing.

Sunday's game proved that Nanaimo has the material for a good team on hand and by consistent practice and team-work can develop an aggregation that will be hard to beat.

CHICAGO BOXING RESULTS

CHICAGO, April 24.—Eddie Coulon, of New Orleans, shaded Eddie Anderson, of Moline, Ill., in an eight-round bout, at 118 pounds here tonight.

Harold Smith, of Chicago, beat Battling Harry Leonard, of New York, in eight rounds, at 118 pounds.

Sammy Mandell, of Rockford, Ills., so badly outclassed Johnny Lisson, of New York, that the referee stopped the contest in the sixth round of their scheduled 8-round bout, at 126 pounds.

Frankie Osner, of Tulsa, Okla., defeated Johnny Sheppard, of Boston, in eight rounds, at 118 pounds.

CITY AND SUBURBAN

DRY TOAST IS WINNER, AT TWENTY TO ONE

Outsider Wins Big Epsom Race by Neck—Favorite Finished in Fourth Place

LONDON, April 25.—The favorites fared badly todayin the City and Suburban handicap, one of the principal Spring handicaps and the feature of the closing day of the Spring meet at Epsom, when R. B. Davidson's four-year-old chestnut colt, Dry Toast, by Cicero, quoted at 20 to 1, won from a field of 13.

Anthony D. Rothschild's five-year-old colt Roman Fiddle, quoted at 10 to 1 against, finished second, beaten by a neck, with Mrs. Bendire's four-year-old colt Condover, who started second favorite at 100 to 14 against, in third place, beaten by a length.

J. P. Hornung's Copyright, the favorite, at 7 to 2 against finished fourth. The time was 2:10 2-5 or 3 3-5 seconds slower than a year ago.

Dry Toast, resting the challenge of Roman Fiddle, won a fine race by a neck, with a length separating Roman Fiddle and Condover. Copyright was officially placed fourth. Reecho, Sobriquet, Eagle Hawk, Corcyrian, Erehwemos, Granley, Lord Burghley, Royal Bucks and Apron also ran.

CLAIM WORLD RECORD FOR YOUNG SWIMMER

Filippino at Manila Lowers Stephen Ruddy's Mark for 220-Yard Breast Stroke

MANILLA, April 25.—Teofilo Ildefonso, a 20-year-old Filipino, today swam the 220-yard breast stroke with ten turns, in a tank, in 2 minutes and 56 seconds. This is said to break the world's record made by Stephen Ruddy, of Chicago, April 6, 1921, when he covered the distance in three minutes flat. The occasion of Ildefonso's swim was a tryout for a team to enter the Eastern Olympic games at Osaka, Japan. Ildefonso is an enlisted man in the Philippine Scouts.

McMillan Leads in Dominion Billiard Championship Game

VANCOUVER, April 23.—Jack McMillan wiped out a deficit of 135 points and moved into a lead of 111 in today's session of his 3,000-point match with A. P. Woodward for the Dominion championship at English billiards. The match now stands at the half-way mark, with McMillan in play.

Upon the dome floor of the Grand Central station in New York statuary and painting will be displayed to educate the public.

DRY TOAST WINS

EPSOM, April 25.—Dry Toast, by Cicero, out of Dinner, owned by R. B. Davison, won the City and Suburban Handicap of £1,000 with extras, run here today. Anthony De Rothschild's Roman Fiddle was second, and Mrs. A. Bendir's Condover was third. Thirteen horses ran. The betting on Dry Toast was 20 to 1 against; Roman Fiddle, 10 to 1, and Condover, 100 to 14 against.

Garrison Nine Wins Baseball Game From Sailors by Eight Runs

The Tommies from Work Point made their initial appearance in the baseball field yesterday when they crossed bats with the Navy, at the Canteen Grounds, and at the conclusion of the game they were acclaimed the victors by an eight run margin, the final score being, Garrison, 10; Navy, 2. In the first inning the sailors crossed the homeplate for a lone tally, while their opponents knocked up five runs. Once in the lead the Garrison stayed in this position the whole of the game. In the third inning the Navy retired Putman, in favor of Langlois. At this time the score was 8-1. In the remaining stanzas the Tommies scored two runs. The batteries were: Garrison, Pauline and Wingert. Navy, Putman, Langlois and Jones.

VON ELM TO REGAIN AMATEUR STANDING

Winner of Pacific Northwest Golf Championship May Compete for National Title

NEW YORK, April 24.—The executive committe of the United States Golf Association today anouncad that the suspension of George von Elm, of Salt Lake City, former Trans-Mississippi and Pacific Northwest champion, would be terminated September 14, thus permitting him to participate in the National Amateur Tournament, September 10 to 15, at Chicago.

The lifting of the suspension of Von Elm from amateur standing, announced in the above dispatch, to date from September 14, will not be in time to allow him to defend the Pacific Northwest Amateur championship, which he won at Colwood last Summer. The Northwest tournament will be held this year at Seattle, from July 9 to July 14.

"We're sorry that Von Elm can't defend his title," said A. S. Kerry, president of the Pacific Northwest Golf Association, when informed of the news. "But we consider the action of the U.S.G.A. entirely fair in the matter. We have been in pretty close touch with both the national body and the Western Golf Association on Von Elm's case and knew that his suspension would be lifted, though delayed. Speaking for the P.N.G.A., we are entirely satisfied."

Well Known Visitor Aids Queen Contest

Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., Buys Ten Dollars' Worth of Votes for C.P.R. Candidate

Ten dollars' worth of votes for Miss "Bud" McKinnon, the candidate of the C.P.R. in the Queen of Utilities contest of the Maytime Frolic, were purchased yesterday by Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., millionaire journalist, upon his arrival here from California. When the contest was explained to Mr. Vanderbilt at the Empress Hotel he readily agreed to assist the C.P.R. entry and produced the "ten-spot" than and there. He also had the pleasure of interviewing the candidate, who is a member of the hotel's stenographic staff.

Football Contest Case Again Comes Into Court And Is Again Remanded

William Levy, of the Globe News Stand, Yates Street, charged on remand with advertising in a public place betting facilities relative to a football competition, contrary to the Criminal Code, appeared in police court yesterday, but at the request of his counsel, Mr. R. C. Lowe, he was remanded until next Monday.

Mr. Lowe stated that he was waiting for the decision of a Manitoba court to reach him of a case very similar to the present local one, and he believed the particulars of such decision would reach him by next Monday. The Manitoba decision, he believed, would influence the present case. Magistrate Jay, however, was non-committal.

Mr. Harrison, prosecutor, objected to too long a remand on the ground that in case a conviction against accused was recorded, and in consequence charges were laid against other local dealers in football competition coupons, it might establish a precedent and all such dealers would think they were entitled to indeterminate remands and delays.

Ebbetts Resigns From Dodgers' Secretaryship

NEW YORK, April 24.—Charles H. Ebbetts, jr., son of the president of the Brooklyn National League club, has resigned as secretary of the Dodgers, it became known today.

Club officials declined to make any statement, but it was reported the younger Ebbetts' withdrawal was due to differences with S. W. McKeever, treasurer of the organization. No successor has been named.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

LONDON, April 23.—Association football games played in the Old Country today resulted as follows:

First Division

Chelsea, 2; West Bromwich A., 1.
Cardiff, 3; Notts Forest, 1.

Third Division

Southern Section

Gillingham, 5; Norwich, 0.

GYMKHANA TO BE TWO-DAY EVENT

Long Programme of Equestrian Events Will Provide Interesting Attraction During Maytime Celebration

GREAT VARIETY OF ITEMS IS INCLUDED

List Revised to Include Horse-racing of All Kinds, With Several Handsome Trophies for Main Events

RATHER than curtail their gymkhana programme, containing a lengthy list of attractive items, the committee in charge of this event to be held at the Willows in connection with the Maytime Frolic has decided to make it a two-day affair and will run off the first half of the programme on May 24 and the second on May 26. The list of events, which will be seen to contain a great variety of interesting items, has been revised and is now as follows:

May 24

1:45—The Lieutenant-Governor's Cup, for Canadian bred trotters and pacers, 1 mile. Best 2 out of 3 heats.
2:00—Cigar and umbrella race.
2:15—Half mile foot race.
2:30—Second heat. Lieutenant-Governor's Cup.
2:45—Galloway pony race. Open. Fifteen hands and under.
3:00—Esquimalt past and present steeplechase, to be ridden by amateur riders, officers and ex-officers and men of H. M. forces. Two miles.
3:20—Indian pony race. Half mile. Indian riders and ponies.
3:30—Tent pegging, 1 mile foot race. Open.
3:45—Ladies' plate steeplechase, ½ mile. Lady riders only.
4:00—Victoria Hotel's open flat race, 6 furlongs. Amateur riders only.
4:15—Lemon cutting and tilting.
4:30—City Hall pony race. Half mile. Open for ponies 14.3 hands and under, ridden by boys under 16 years.
4:45—Victoria and district tradesmen's and farmer's race, for half-bred horses, 6 furlongs. Lady and gentlemen riders.

May 26

1:45—Dispatch race, 200 yards, on cycle, ¼ mile on horseback and 150 yards on foot.
2:00—Trotting race, green pacers and trotters.
2:15—Pony scurry, for ponies under 14.3. Amateur riders.
2:30—Trotting race, second heat.
2:45—The Bowser Steeplechase Cup, distance two miles. Amateur riders. Catchweights, not less than 150 pounds.
3:00—Tug-of-war.
3:00—Riding tandem.
3:15—Section tent pegging.
3:15—Two-mile foot race. Open.
3:30—Thread - the - needle race. Open.
3:45—The Hudson Bay flat race. Catch weights, not less than 150 pounds. Amateur riders, distance 5 furlongs.
4:00—David Spencer, Ltd., open jumping contest, pace, style and performance to count.
4:15—Indian race for Indian riders and ponies. Half-mile.
4:15—Obstacle race on foot.

Honolulu Sees Tennis Stars in Exhibition

HONOLULU, April 24.—Robert Kinsey, the tennis star, arrived today from San Francisco and M. Fukuda, the Japanese Davis Cup player, stopped over on his way from Japan to the mainland. In an exhibition match Kinsey and Fukuda defeated the Hawaiian players, Hoogs and Cooke, 6-4, 6-2, 1-6.

Kinsey, paired with Castle, another island star, defeated Fukuda and Matsumoto 6-2, 6-1, 6-3.

Albion Cricketers to Hold First Practice

The Albions Cricket Club will hold its first evening net practice this evening, commencing at six o'clock, and from thenceforth on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at the same time. All present members, as well as any cricketer not already attached to any club, is invited to avail himself of the advantages of an excellent practice wicket at the club's new grounds—Cranmore Road (opposite the Arena).

PIGEON RACE RESULTS

NANAIMO, April 24.—The Nanaimo Homing Society held its second race of the season on Sunday last, the starting point being Everett, Wash., where ninety-one birds were liberated. The airline distance is about 115 miles, and the first bird to make the journey home covered the distance in three hours and twenty minutes. The result of the average and handicap are as follows:

T. Naylor, Nanaimo, 1,063 yards per minute; J. Murray, Nanaimo, 1,078 yards per minute; W. Thompson, Nanaimo, 1,049 yards per minute; T. Russell, Northfield, 1,044 yards per minute; C. Reinhardt, Northfield, 1,011 yards per minute; W. Baird, Nanaimo, 989 yards per minute; T. McLeod, Ladysmith, 788 yards per minute.

Handicap races: 1, T. Naylor, Nanaimo, "Pilot"; 2, J. Murray, Fairview, "Challenger"; 3, W. Thompson, Fairview, "Hard Luck"; 4, T. Russell, Northfield, "Anxious Moments."

The next race will take place on April 29, from Puyallup, Wash., the airline distance being 150 miles.

Frank Troeh Makes Wonderful Record

Figures for Past Year Are Most Remarkable in History of Trapshooting

CHICAGO, April 25.—Frank M. Troeh, of Vancouver, Wash., has the unequalled distinction of being the amateur trapshooting champion in singles and doubles for the season of 1922, it was announced by the Amateur Trapshooting Association of America, here today.

In winning the singles title he established the greatest record in the history of trapshooting. His average for the season was .9838 per cent, a record made by breaking 6,159 targets out of 6,260.

In the doubles Troeh broke 1,509 targets out of 1,550, for an average of .9145 per cent.

LEAGUE BASEBALL

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Chicago	3	6	0
Pittsburgh	7	15	1

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At Boston—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	3	9	1
Boston	2	5	1

Batteries—Head and Henline; Benton, Ganelvich, Cooney and O'Neill.

At St. Louis—	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	3	9	3
St. Louis	1	7	0

Batteries—Donohue, Keck and Hargrave; Pfeffer and Ainsmith.

AMERICAN

At Cleveland—	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	2	8	1
Cleveland	1	6	1

Batteries—Dauss and Bassler; Uhle and O'Neill.

At Philadelphia—	R.	H.	E.
Boston	3	8	0
Philadelphia	1	9	0

Batteries—Ferguson and Picinich, Walters; Ogden, Heimach and Perkins, Bruggy.

At New York—	R.	H.	E.
Washington	1	9	1
New York	7	9	0

Batteries—Hollingsworth, McGrew and Ruel; Pennock and Schang.

COAST

SEATTLE, April 25.—San Francisco made it two straight over Seattle today, Hodge beating Blake, 9 to 0. Blake pitched good ball for seven innings, not allowing an earned run until that frame. Hodge held the Seattle batters helpless at all times. Both teams were crippled by injuries.

	R.	H.	E.
San Francisco	9	16	4
Seattle	0	4	5

Batteries—Hodge and Yelle; Blake and Tobin.

Angels Start Hitting

PORTLAND, April 25.—The Los Angeles baseball club began hitting today, and the result of the overdue batting streak was a 12 to 6 slaughter of the Beavers. Manager Krug hit five out of six, including two doubles. Twombley made four out of five, including two doubles and a homer, and Lindimore made three out of five. Marty Krug previously had switched his line-up, benching Deal, who has a bad arm, and going to third himself.

	R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	12	18	0
Portland	6	15	1

Batteries—Jones, Lyons, Thomas and Baldwin; Sutherland and Byler.

"Umps" in the Way

OAKLAND, April 25.—Another defeat was administered to Oakland by Salt Lake here today, 4 to 2. The game was lost by Malis' aerial ascension and by a freak accident of baseball. In the fifth inning Leslie singled and Matsen hit a liner toward second base which struck the umpire and bounded into the field. Leslie went to second and Matsen was declared safe on first. Gould then singled, scoring Matsan and Leslie. The Oaks contended that if the ball had not struck the umpire they would have made a double play.

Malis blew up in the seventh inning, allowing a triple, a double and two singles, which netted the Bees two runs. In the fourth and eighth innings, however, Malis retired the Bees on strikeouts.

	R.	H.	E.
Salt Lake	4	9	0
Oakland	2	9	2

Batteries—Gould and Peters; Malis and Thomas.

Twelve-Inning Battle

LOS ANGELES, April 23.—Vernon won a 13-inning game from Sacramento today, 8 to 4, making it two straight against the Senators. It was a pitchers' battle between Yellowhorse, the Sacramento moundsman, and Shellenback, twirling for the Tigers. Vernon won by bunching hits in the twelfth frame. Schang's error let in the winning run.

	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	4	7	3
Vernon	5	10	3

Batteries—Yellowhorse and Koehler, Schang; Shellenback and Hannah.

INTERNATIONAL

Rochester, 8; Jersey City, 0.
Buffalo, 22; Baltimore, 2.
Toronto, 11; Newark, 1.
Syracuse, 5; Reading, 6.

Standing of the Clubs

COAST

	W.	L.	Pct.
Salt Lake	12	8	.600
Vernon	12	8	.600
San Francisco	12	9	.571
Portland	11	10	.523
Sacramento	11	10	.522
Seattle	9	10	.473
Los Angeles	7	12	.368
Oakland	7	14	.333

NATIONAL

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	8	1	.889
Chicago	7	2	.777
Philadelphia	3	3	.500
Cincinnati	5	4	.555
Pittsburgh	4	5	.444
Boston	2	5	.285
St. Louis	2	7	.222
Brooklyn	1	6	.143

AMERICAN

	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	6	2	.750
New York	6	2	.750
Detroit	5	3	.625
Philadelphia	4	3	.571
Washington	3	5	.375
St. Louis	2	4	.333
Boston	2	5	.285
Chicago	1	5	.167

Wins Pram Marathon

Five mothers pushed their perambulators, complete with babies, from Big Ben, London, to Brighton, a distance of fifty-two miles, recently, in response to a challenge by one of the mothers. Mrs. Groom, of Eastbourne, the winner, seen in the picture, finished in twelve hours and twenty minutes.

PIONEER PRINTER LEAVING VICTORIA

Mr. Fred Grant Came Here With Famous Lacrosse Team—With Colonist Staff for Years

Victoria is losing another of her old-time residents, when Mr. Fred W. Grant, of 1016 Princess Avenue, leaves this week to take up his future residence in Toronto. Mrs. Grant will remain in Victoria a short while before joining her husband in the East.

Mr. Grant is one of Victoria's pioneer printers and athletes, having come out to Victoria thirty years ago, with four other members of the Toronto Athletic Lacrosse Club to play Victoria's famous team of that time, and which team in the following year, 1893, journeyed East and defeated Montreal, Ottawa, Cornwall, Shamrocks and Toronto. He became a member of the composing room staff of The Colonist, which at that time was located on Government Street, where the Hibben-Bone Building now stands, and was owned by Messrs. William H. Ellis and A. G. Sargison. He has been employed during the past eighteen years on The Colonist and The Times, having spent several years in the newspaper field of the interior of this Province.

During his entire forty years' connection with the newspaper business, from apprentice to editor, he has followed his one hobby of making a collection of newspaper clippings on various interesting subjects, and at the present time has what is probably as complete and comprehensive a collection as exists in Canada, numbering about 100,000 separate articles in 35 bound, indexed volumes, including, among other subjects, about 12,000 of the most popular poems which, during those years have appeared in the newspapers and magazines of Canada and the United States.

Mr. Grant is a native of Barrie, Ont., which town, as everyone acquainted with Canadian affairs knows, has given a very large number of leading men and women to the political, professional and commercial life of the Dominion, as well as to the United States, and with this material to work upon he has, during the past few years, been compiling a pictorial, biographical and historical record of that town and its natives, to become a part of its archives in the public library. This work has already reached the proportions of about 500 newspaper columns of reading matter and about 3,000 photographs, many of them dating back to times before the Confederation of Canada, in 1867, and each picture carrying descriptive type lines. Much of this reading matter has been written by Mr. Grant himself, on the various phases of "small town" life in Ontario, forty years ago, when the absence of movies and motors gave impetus to the individual originating much of his own amusement, instead of having them provided for him by someone else. And it is with the knowledge of being better able to continue this work on more comprehensive lines that he is returning to make his home in Ontario, after an absence of thirty-five years.

During his long residence in Victoria Mr. Grant created a wide circle of friends, who, while regretting his departure, will join in wishing his success and happiness in his new endeavors and environment.

SEATTLE BOXING

Marcus Boxes Draw With Travie Davis—Joe Nestman Loses Decision to Fitzgerald

SEATTLE, April 24.—Jimmy Marcus, of the Los Angeles, and Travie Davis of Everett, boxed six rounds to a draw at 145 pounds here tonight. Davis went down in the fourth round for the count of seven, and after that Marcus showed stronger all the time.

Harry Young, of Yakima, Wash., knocked Logger Harrison, of Monroe, out in the third round, at 140 pounds. Bud Fitzgerald, Seattle, won a decision over Joe Nestman, of Vancouver, B. C., at 135 pounds. Eddie Moore, of Seattle, and Babe Foote, of Raymond, were given a draw at 120 pounds.

Veteran Editor of New Brunswick Dies In U. S. Sanitarium

ST. JOHN, N.B., April 25.—News of the death of James L. Stewart, 80, veteran newspaper editor of New Brunswick, in a sanitarium in Massachusetts, reached here last night.

Mr. Stewart had been prominent in newspaper work in all parts of the Maritime provinces and for the last forty years he had been proprietor and editor of The Chatham World.

He was born in Advocate Harbor, N.S., April 5, 1843.

BELIEVE GERMANY IS PLANNING RUHR OFFER

View in London Is That Recent Utterances Indicate Definite Offer on Reparations

LONDON, April 25.—The prospect of Germany making a definite reparations offer, especially with reference to a settlement of the Ruhr situation, is widely discussed in the press here. The view is generally taken that recent utterances of German statesmen and comments by German newspapers point to the likelihood that an important pronouncement will be forthcoming from Berlin soon.

PENSION ESTIMATES COME UP AT OTTAWA

OTTAWA, April 25.—A vote of $32,634,952 pensions came up in the House tonight, but on objection being made, discussion was postponed.

Dr. H. S. Beland, Minister of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, observed that he had not the remotest desire to say anything which would curtail discussion. His idea in taking up this estimate first was to bring on the discussion as early as possible. The nearer the time for prorogation came, the less likelihood there was of a full discussion taking place.

LACROSSE PRACTICE

The United Services Lacrosse team will hold a practice at Work Point tonight, at 6 o'clock. All players are requested to turn out, as the time for the commencement of the league is getting short.

MEETING OF CITIZENS HELD AT CHEMAINUS

School Examining Centre Asked For —Workmen's Compensation Act Under Discussion

CHEMAINUS, April 24.—A citizens' meeting was held in the reading-room of the Recreation Club recently. A fairly representative gathering was in attendance, which included Messrs. H. R. Smily, N. F. Lang and Hawkins, of the School Board; Mr. K. F. Duncan, M.P.P., Mayor Smythe, and Mr. H. R. Garrard, of Duncan, and over forty other residents of the district.

Mr. W. B. Trenholme was in the chair, and in calling the meeting to order briefly outlined the object in view, which was the question of having Chemainus made the examining centre for the pupils of the North Cowichan district.

His Worship Mayor Smythe, who is chairman of the Consolidated School at Duncan, expressed his opinion in favor of the change contemplated, and promised his co-operation in the matter. Mr. Duncan also promised his help, saying he would take the matter up with the Minister of Education.

After some further discussion it was moved by Mr. G. Jacobson, seconded by Mr. A. George McInnes, that a resolution be sent to the Minister of Education and a copy to Mr. Kenneth Duncan, M.P.P., calling for the change from Duncan to Chemainus. This was passed unanimously.

The chairman then introduced the subject of electrifying the district, and called on Mayor Smythe to explain the proposed scheme. His Worship went fully into the matter, pointing out that the power line was to be constructed anyway, and it only remained for the people to arrange with the B.C. Electric either through the Cowichan Council or by forming a company to install the necessary equipment. After Mr. Garrard, city electrician of Duncan, had given an address on the technical part of the scheme, a motion was carried to send a delegate to Duncan on the 26th inst., to confer with Mr. Halls, of the B.C. Electric, on the probable cost of the enterprise.

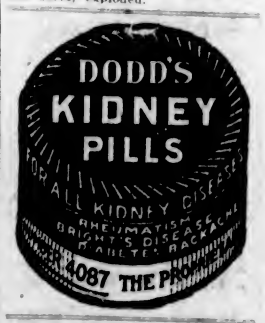
Workmen's Compensation

Another subject brought to the attention of Mr. Duncan was "the delay in getting settlement from the Workmen's Compensation Board." Mr. Lang brought the matter forward, citing one case in particular where the man was carried to the local hospital on a stretcher from the Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Company's plant, yet the application for compensation had been turned down. Mr. Duncan, after explaining fully the workings of the Compensation Board and the difficulties it sometimes had to contend with, promised to take the matter up in this particular instance.

At this point Mr. A. E. P. Stubbs, of the Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Company, informed the meeting that the company had opened up the case again with the Board, so the matter was left in abeyance. This closed the proceedings of the evening, and after a hearty vote of thanks had been tendered to the visitors, the meeting adjourned.

DIED FROM BURNS

HAMILTON, Ont., April 25.—Mike Ordana and his wife, Sophie, succumbed last night to burns received when a can of coal oil in the hands of Ordana, who was pouring it into the stove, exploded.



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Wonderful Island Is Deer Shelter

The accompanying photographs show scenes on a wonderful wild animal sanctuary which the writer of this has just discovered, a dot of rocks and trees off the coast of British Columbia, where, unheard of in the outside world, a veteran old prospector living lonely on this island has achieved one of the most remarkable feats in the history of man's dealings with wild creatures by winning the confidence of absolutely wild deer so that now they come from long distances to visit him.

Photograph No. 1 shows the remarkable man, T. B. Brazil by name, and one of the deer.

On the island Mr. Brazil has built tables for the deer near his house. Each deer has a separate bowl, and they have wonderfully good table manners. This is the first wild deer restaurant in the world. Photograph No. 2 shows one of these tables with a few of the deer feeding.

That animals communicate with one another is strikingly proven by the fact that when the man first took up his residence on this island, where he is the only human being, he only saw two deer. He put out feed for them, and after weeks of time got their confidence. In the Autumn they brought five more. The next year there were thirty. Today, six years later, hundreds come to the island. They come here during the shooting season, knowing they will be protected. The does here give birth to their young. In the early Summer the island is alive with little ones.

The deer come and go at will, and the minute they are parted from their protector are absolutely wild deer. It has not been an easy work for the man to thus establish himself in the perfect trust of the hundreds of deer that now have come to trust him. It has taken him nearly a decade to do what he has done, but now the deer are coming to him from distant islands and the Mainland. It certainly is an achievement which ranks among the most remarkable in the annals of natural history, for it must be fully borne in mind that all these deer were born in the wild and came to maturity in the fear of man. Most of them will vanish at sight of a stranger.

NOT AFRAID

While the animals are well fed at the open air restaurant, some of them insist on coming to the house and knocking on the door with their head or horns, or rattling the door knob with their teeth, in this way begging for extra food delicacies, such as oatmeal. One great buck came every night in this manner after dark for a period of a year, often forcing the man to get out of bed to feed him. This is only one case of how these wild creatures of the dark fir depths show their dependence. The buck's action is another example that animals do communicate with each other, for it must have learned this from others that had been there previously. Such evidence of trust shows how little we really know of the animal kingdom. It is only rare souls like such a man as Mr. Brazil, who have something in their nature which makes animals instinctively trust them, who occasionally prove to the outside world that we are kindred with the wild things, and that they will love us if we let them.

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Minister Outlines Work To Save Canada's Forests

OTTAWA, April 25.—A statement of the work being done by the Government with a view to preventing damage to Canada's forests by insects and fungus outbreaks was made in the House this afternoon by Hon. W. R. Motherwell.

He said that the Government had a considerable amount of information on the subject which had been collected by the Division of Forest Insects of the Entomological Branch and by the Division of Botany of the Experimental Farm of the Department of Agriculture in co-operation with the Dominion Forestry Branch of the Department of the Interior and the various Provincial forest administrations.

"Pill Boxes," Labor Men Call New Type of Home

LONDON, April 25.—A certain liveliness developed in the Commons tonight near the end of the debate on the Housing Bill, with the Labor members constantly interrupting the Attorney-General, Sir Douglas Hogg. Sir Douglas said the real difficulty was not in finding money, but men to build the houses. He defended the proposed type of house which was roundly attacked by the Labor members, who resented the comparison, which they characterized as an insult. They referred in uncomplimentary terms to the new type as "pill boxes" and "rabbit hutches."

SUGAR EXPORTS DROPPED

OTTAWA, April 25.—Canadian exports of refined sugar during March amounted to 16,982,219 pounds, compared with 31,527,464 pounds in March last year. Of the sugar exported last month, 10,360,000 pounds went to the United Kingdom and 5,577,600 to France.

The manufacture of absinthe in France has been stopped.

British Stockmen to Call Conference on Cattle From Canada

LONDON, April 25.—At a meeting of the agricultural group of the members of the House of Commons tonight, Sir Robert Sanders, Minister of Agriculture, explained the position in regard to the importation of Canadian cattle other than store cattle.

Mr. Duncan Marshall, of the Canadian Department of Agriculture, then put the Canadian side of the question. As a result of the discussion, a committee was formed to call a conference of the different associations interested in livestock to go into the whole matter.

DEER AT TABLE

TEXAS CLOUDBURST LEAVES DESOLATION

Sends Wall of Water Crashing Through City, Filling Many Homes With Debris

NACOGDOCHES, Texas, April 25.—A cloudburst near Needmore, six miles north of here, flooded the valley of Bonita Creek today and sent a wall of water crashing through Needmore, through which the creek makes its tortuous course, leaving a scene of desolation and filling many homes with debris.

Bishops Leave Japanese To Do Missionary Work

TOKIO, April 25.—The conference of English and American Episcopal bishops now in session here announced today it had been decided to hand over to the Japanese entire control of the ecclesiastical affairs of missionary work in Osaka and Tokio. This control has been held by the foreign missionary bishops for the past sixty years. The conference appointed two Japanese bishops to whom the transfer of the work will be made tomorrow.

FIVE SHIRE HORSES PRESENT TO CANADA

OTTAWA, April 25.—Five Shire horses, presented to the Dominion of Canada by the Shire Horse Society of Great Britain, have arrived here, and for the time being are quartered at the experimental farm stables. They will later be sent to Lacombe, Alberta, where the Shire breeding stud will be established. A sixth stallion, presented by Mrs. A. F. Stanton, Ashburn, England, also accompanied the party.

PEERS DIVIDED ON DIVORCE PUBLICITY

LONDON, April 25.—The undue publicity given by certain sections of the press to the indecent details of cases recently tried in the law courts here, especially divorce cases, was the subject of a debate in the House of Lords last night. While all the speakers agreed as to such publication being an evil, opinion was divided as to whether legislation to curb it was necessary, or whether action to lessen the evil would be possible under the existing law. There the matter rested.

CANNERY PLANT BURNS

SAN PEDRO, Cal., April 25.—The $100,000 plant of the French Sardine Company in the Fish Harbor district was destroyed by fire early today. For a time canneries, wharves, fishing boats, railroad cars and cottages were menanced. The cause is unknown.

WOULD ABOLISH TITLES

CAPE TOWN, South Africa, April 25.—In the House of Assembly today, Labor Leader Cresswell indicated his intention to move for an address praying the King to refrain from conferring titles on residents of the Union of South Africa.

The British and the Natives

The majority of white people in South Africa are saddened and disgusted by brutal methods. As a whole the native races here are probably treated better than in most lands. But there is a tendency to brutality among a minority, and unless public opinion takes a definite stand against it we fear it will give rise to much trouble and many evils as time goes on.—Johannesburg Times.

FOUR THOUSAND JOIN WASHINGTON STRIKE

I.W.W.'s Call Out Men From Logging Camps—Claim 1,000 Waterfront Employees Quit Work

SEATTLE, April 25.—Between 3,000 and 4,000 men employed in lumber and logging camps throughout Washington had joined the general strike called by the Industrial Workers of the World up to tonight, according to reports from all sections of the state. At a number of points longshoremen and dock workers were reported to have walked out, some refusing to sign on vessels. At I.W.W. headquarters here it was asserted that approximately 1,000 waterfront employees had quit work and that another 500 would join the walkout tonight and tomorrow.

Port authorities and shipping firms, however, declared that only a few men had struck and that the effect on shipping was negligible. At Everett five ships were tied up through the strike by longshoremen. One vessel was unable to load at Raymond.

Expect Short Strike

Gray's Harbor shipping was said to be virtually unaffected, although about 30 per cent of the longshoremen have quit.

Belief that the strike was only temporary and that most of the men now out would return to work early in May, was expressed in some quarters.

Reports from employers in Washington and California indicated from 20 to 50 per cent of the men at work in logging camps had walked out, and that in some cases construction work had been curtailed.

LOS ANGELES, April 25.—Hundreds of alleged inflammatory circulars were distributed here today in connection with a general strike called by the Industrial Workers of the World, according to the police, but indications of a walkout of marine workers in the harbor district were still lacking. Local members of the Marine Transport Workers Branch of the I.W.W. said that no strike was contemplated here, although several members of the organization were reported to have left their jobs.

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PRESS COMMENT

A Worthy Leader

Tuesday night's complimentary dinner to Mr. Meighen at the Royal Ottawa Golf Club revealed the solid allegiance of his followers. It is an allegiance that is deserved. Few parties have been better served in the way of leadership.—Ottawa Journal.

Spokesman of Peace

No one can read Lord Robert Cecil's speech without being impressed with the man's perfect disinterestedness and honesty. Even the reader who may have rooted convictions or dominating prejudices against the cause for which he spoke must be so impressed. No one who heard his words, no one who reads them, can doubt that the speaker meant every syllable of them, and that he meant them because they were dictated by both his heart and his head; dictated not only by what he felt but by what he knew.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

What Is a "Tightwad"?

A "tightwad" is defined by the United States Government Bureau as a man who saves 60 cents of every dollar, 37 cents of the balance for living expenses, and one cent for education, recreation and gifts. The spendthrift is described as the man who saves nothing, and the thrifty man is designated as the one who saves 20 cents out of every dollar. There is no doubt that the man who saves 20 cents out of the dollar is a thrifty man. Perhaps the man who saves 60 cents is a tightwad. But inasmuch as the title of a pamphlet is "How Other People Get Ahead," the suggestion is irrepressible that that is how the other people get ahead. If it be tolerable to make further light observation upon a subject so solemn in these days of high prices, perhaps the experts will parade a few of these men who save 60 cents out of every dollar. The suspicion has been that if the coal dealer didn't get 'em the income tax collector did.—Kingston Whig.

Juries on Trial

The study of "jury failures" is very much in order. Jury reform must come if ever we are to make the administration of criminal justice thoroughly effective. But it is only one of the fundamentals needed to that end. Reform of court procedure is, to our way of thinking, the first essential. If and when it comes, it will simplify and make easier the work of securing good juries.—New Orleans Times-Picayune.

Soviet's Challenge

Lucky, indeed, will be the fate of militant Sovietism, if a few years hence it can save itself alive, even by the utmost compromise with organized religion and the utmost guarantees of religious liberty. When Butchkavitch was murdered under the camouflage of a civil trial, the die was really cast, and every month henceforth the Russian people will more fully see that it was. Religious liberty at any cost is written on the wall, and it is wellnigh inconceivable that religious liberty will become an accomplished fact unaccompanied by civil liberty.—Boston Transcript.

Not a Bad Sign

Since the establishment of the Port of London Authority in 1908 no less than £11,000,000 has been spent on the docks and the fairway. But the fact that many and costly improvements are seen to be necessary and are to be taken in hand is one of good augury for the continued prosperity of the port which handles one-third of the country's foreign trade.—Westminster Gazette.

A shipmaster is fined in American ports if alien crew members escape ashore.

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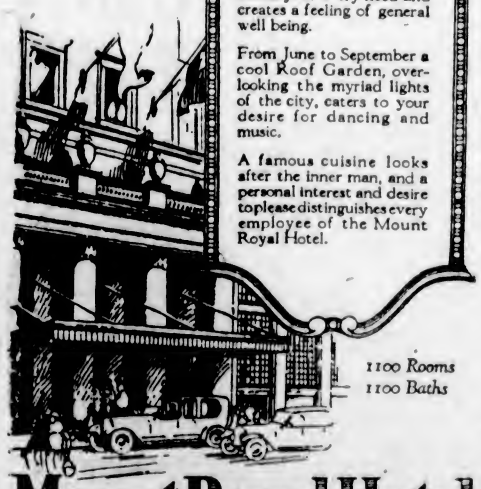
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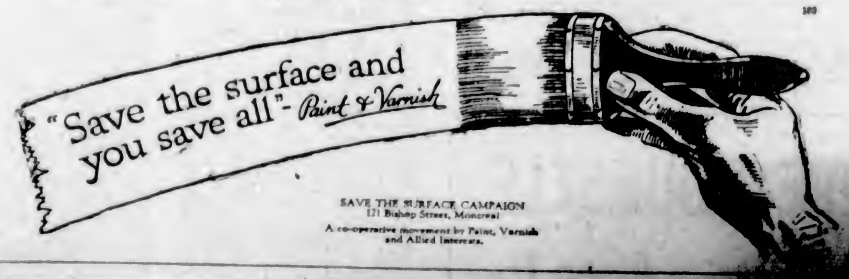

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The "Story of Mankind," by Hendrik Van Loon, has been voted the most important book published in 1921 by the American library association.

Two Thousand Per Cent Increase in Whiskey to America's Neighbors

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Since prohibition became effective in the United States exports of Scotch and Irish whiskies from Great Britain to Mexico and various West Indian islands off the American coast has increased two thousand per cent.

The totals were: 1919, 70,229 gallons; 1920, 321,320 gallons; 1921, 334,615 gallons; 1922, 609,500 gallons, according to figures compiled by the Commerce Department.

RAILWAY MEN ASK 1921 WAGE SCALE

CHICAGO, April 24.—Request for a return of wages in effect on July 1, 1921, was made on the Railway Labor Board today by the United Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way and Railway Shop Laborers. The petition affects 28 railroads and 175,000 employees.

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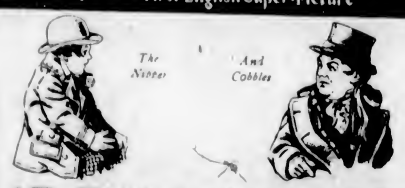

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GLORIA SWANSON IN 'PRODIGAL DAUGHTERS'

How Old Women Change Their Looks Shown in Big Production—Photo Drama of Social Extravagances

The woman who has her face lifted. This is a new type in American social life. By a process that involves not a little personal discomfort she has her wrinkles removed. Indeed, she frequently looks younger than her daughters. She smokes cigarettes, drinks cocktails and keeps late hours, knowing that her manufactured features will resist the inroads of dissipation. She is a product of society that only the twentieth century could produce.

And she is seen in all her artificial radiance in "Prodigal Daughters," Gloria Swanson's new Paramount picture which is showing at the Dominion Theatre all this week.

This photodrama of social extravagances goes deeply into a curious phase of life today. It depicts a mother and her two daughters who have flung the conventions in the discard. The daughters carry their own latch keys, turn up their noses at chaperones, keep late hours, smoke, drink and flippantly voice the most advanced notions in the argot of Greenwich Village.

What happens when the husband and father, a man of old-fashioned notions, returns from abroad and finds his home a moral chaos, forms the basis of one of the most absorbing photoplays produced in many a dey.

CAPITOL THEATRE Never before did the making of a motion picture arouse such widespread and sustained interest in "picture-biaee" Hollywood as did Douglas Fairbanks in "Robin Hood," a United Artists release, now showing at the Capitol Theatre. Throughout the several months required for visualizing the enthralling story of the story of the spirit of chivalry which marked the twelfth century as one of the most romantic periods in all history, the Pickford-Fairbanks studios, at which this film was produced with such surpassing care, were besieged constantly by crowds of sightseers eager to get glimpses of Mr. Fairbanks and his company in their artistic endeavors on the exceptionally big and elaborate "sets."

Of course, it was impossible to accommodate any considerable percentage of the crowds, but during the course of activities hundreds of people were admitted to the grounds, and among these were scores of distinguished men and women, many of world-wide reputation. In fact, if the list of celebrities who witnessed some portion of the work of making "Douglas Fairbanks in Robin Hood" were compiled, it would read like a social register and "Who's Who" of the world all in one.

ROYAL THEATRE The famous comedy success, "Me and My Gal," featuring Betty Balfour, will be the attraction again today at the Royal. This feature has created quite a furore in the Old Country, where the winsomeness of the star, Betty Balfour, has captivated critics and public alike. "Me and My Gal" since being presented in Victoria has met with phenomenal success, playing to large crowds at all performances. The patrons are asked to come early or attend the matinees where possible to avoid any inconvenience of standing in line.

OLD DUMBELLS TO APPEAR AT ROYAL ON MONDAY WEEK

During their recent tour of the Eastern Provinces, "The Old Dumbells" have established a record even greater than with "Biff, Bing, Bang," or the "Dumbells Revue of 1922," their past two productions, for in every city and town they visited seats were sold out away in advance of the opening, and in many places large numbers were unable to gain admittance to the theatre at all.

This world-famous company of soldier artists will appear at the Royal Victoria May 7, 8 and 9, with their splendid new revue, "Full o' Pep," which is declared to be the best of all Dumbell shows, and which the boys are operating entirely themselves. Only such old members of the organization who have worked together steadily since 1915 could write, arrange, design and work out such a wonderful programme of fun and variety as "The Old Dumbells" are bringing this season. Among the unique new offerings which have already become very popular is the fine khaki sketch, "Billeted in a Barn," with "Red" Newman and company. This number is one continuous scream of laughter from the opening to the very close. "The Duchess Entertains," that skit which became so popular on previous occasions, is again going strong with Jack McLaren in his old role of "Scotty" and "Red" Newman as "Strike Me Pink."

There are twenty-two mammoth new surprises in "Full o' Pep," including magnificent concerted numbers, dances, sketches, single and double act musical numbers, and every form of entertainment imaginable.

Mail orders will be accepted now for every performance.

BRITISH FEATURE FILM AT ROYAL ON TUESDAY NEXT

At last we have an English superpicture, "The Game of Life," which opened at a West End cinema theatre last night. It is, on the whole, probably greater than any of the big American productions that have met with so much success in this country.—London News of the World.

The story deals with three girls all born on the same day as Queen Victoria and destined for very different stations in life. Of course, the English critic is liable to be prejudiced on account of this cinema being laid in England in the days of Queen Victoria and of Dickens and Thackeray. Nevertheless, we maintain that the English Derby of 1850, the coronation of Victoria and the Charge of the Light Brigade in this picture excel anything we have ever seen in American productions.—Birmingham Gazette.

From the scene of Stephenson's first steam engine that tore through England at eight miles an hour on Coronation Day, 1837, to the Queen's Jubilee procession fifty years later, we are so carried away by the wonders of Victorian England that we actually live with the characters in the story.—Liverpool Echo.

Red-blooded melodrama is mixed with history of the Victorian era in a cinema which we feel like calling the greatest picture ever made.—London Pall Mall and Globe.

Sebastopol, Inkerman and Balaklava and Florence Nightingale at Scutari are staged so vividly that the spectator actually lives in the romance of the Crimea.—London Daily Express.

The coronation of Queen Victoria on the streets of London eighty-five years ago is staged so masterfully that the Queen, the guards, the flunkey and every lord and chimney-sweep in the crowds live before one's eyes.—Nottingham Guardian.

"The Game of Life" will be the attraction at the Royal for five days, commencing next Tuesday.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—Douglas Fairbanks in "Robin Hood."

Columbia—Rodolph Valentino in "The Young Rajah."

Dominion—"Prodigal Daughters," featuring Gloria Swanson.

Royal—Betty Balfour in "Me and My Gal."

The Stage

Playhouse—Royal Bride Chapter, I.O.D.E., entertainment Friday and Saturday matinee.

PICTURES OF DUKE OF YORK SEEN HERE

Hudson's Bay Store Window Has Large Collection of Interesting Photographs of Royal Family

Considerable public interest has been aroused at the splendid display in the Douglas Street window of the Hudson's Bay Store of pictures of the Duke of York and the Royal Family. Last night there was a continuous concourse of spectators viewing the pictures and incidents depicted in the life of the Duke of York, whose marriage takes place today.

Against a background of black velvet nine standards are placed above a raised platform, on which are numbers of pictures of the Royal Family, with large photographs of Their Majesties the King and Queen. The collection is the property of Miss M. I. New, and the window is centred with a letter sent to her by the private secretary of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, and signed by the Prince, expressing his interest in the collection which he saw on his visit to this city.

Two long screens on either side of the window are also covered with pictures, and as the collection covers the life of the Duke of York from his babyhood to the present time, a red star denotes the Prince in all the pictures in which he appears.

SPECIAL MUSICAL PROGRAMME AT THE CAPITOL THEATRE

Tonight is music lovers' night at the Capitol. How popular and how much appreciated was this special musical event at the Capitol last Thursday night was shown by the capacity crowds that attended, and the applause that greeted the musical numbers. Tonight the Capitol grand orchestra in conjunction with the Capitol organ will render the "Raymond Overture," the famous "Robin Hood Selection," and by request, the ever popular "Parade of the Wooden Soldiers."

Mr. Drury Pryce, the well-known violinist, will, in addition to playing with the orchestra, render several violin solos.

The feature attraction, "Robin Hood, starring Douglas Fairbanks, will also be musically interpreted by the full orchestra and Capitol organ. "Robin Hood" is the greatest and highest priced production ever shown in Victoria.

There are very few high grade cattle in China.

WOMAN'S HEALTH RESTORED

She Claims Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Did It After Everything Else Failed

Milwaukee, Wis.—"I feel that I ought to let you know about my case. I was ailing and could barely do my housework and washing I was so run-down, just from having one child. I took a lot of medicines and had doctors. Then I gave them all up and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I feel wonderfully good now. I do every thing that comes along, and we all take your medicine as a tonic when we don't feel just so. I am thankful for what the Vegetable Compound has done for my health and for my family."—MRS. MARY SAIECHECK, 944 28th St., Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Letters like these testify to the value of the Vegetable Compound. These women speak from the fullness of their hearts. They describe as correctly as they can their conditions: First, those symptoms that affected them most conspicuously; and later the disappearance of those symptoms. They are sincere expressions of gratitude. For nearly fifty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been so praised by women.

VALENTINO FUNCTIONS AS BEAUTY EXPERT

Star of "The Young Rajah" Gives His Views on Blondes and Brunettes

RODOLPH VALENTINO

Blonde or brunette? Which is the ideal type of beautiful womanhood? Which are the most attractive, the most appealing to men, the most beautiful? What are their predominating characteristics?

Rodolph Valentino, one of the screen's most popular lovers, was approached with the question. The Paramount star was in a position to talk on such a subject, having played in two consecutive pictures in each of which one of the respective types was represented. In "Blood and Sand," Fred Niblo's production of the Ibanez novel, Valentino was supported by two of the silversheet's most famous and talented brunettes, Lila Lee and Nita Naldi. That was followed by his latest Paramount picture, "The Young Rajah," coming to the Columbia Theatre today, in which Wanda Hawley, a perfect blonde, plays the leading feminine role, and in which Maude Wayne also of the yellow tresses, has an important part. So he was able to keenly perceive the contrast. Here is how he responded on the subject:

"It will generally be found," he declares, "that the blonde type of woman is more even-tempered, of a quieter and more placid disposition. The brunette, on the other hand, might be described, as a class, to be more excitable, more pointed in temperament, perhaps more quick to respond to an emotion. They might also be said to be slightly more eccentric in their tastes.

"Both types can be highly artistic, but the brunette can be more of an extremist, emotionally. Let us consider the tragediennes of stage and screen. Are they not mostly brunettes? What do we find among our blonde actresses? Generally they seem to run more or less to the light type of drama or light comedy. This outward expression of ability, is, of course, an expression of their inner selves, for it is only by reason of their natural tendencies that they are best fitted for certain kinds of acting roles."

THREE-DAY FROLIC PROGRAMME IS OUT

HEADQUARTERS ANNOUNCE LIST OF EVENTS

To Commence Thursday, May 24, and Continue Until Saturday Night —To Surpass Past Efforts

That the Maytime Frolic will provide a three-day carnival of joy which will surpass anything of the kind attempted here in the past seems a reasonable conclusion to reach after a glance over the completed programme as finally decided upon.

Commencing on the morning of Thursday, May 24, the varied events will continue until the official farewell of the Queens at eleven o'clock on the night of Saturday, May 26.

The full programme as given out yesterday from the Frolic headquarters is as follows:

Thursday, May 24

9:00 a.m.—Commemoration ceremonies at Queen Victoria monument in front of Parliament Buildings.

9:30 a.m.—Arrival on naval vessel of Victoria's own Queens of the Maytime Frolic; reception by Lieutenant-Governor, Premier and Mayor; coronation ceremony on Parliament Building steps.

10:30 a.m.—Grand parade.

11:30 a.m.—Lacrosse game, Victoria vs. Vancouver.

12:30 p.m.—Luncheon at Empress Hotel in honor of Queens of Maytime Frolic and official visitors.

1:30 p.m.—Gymkhana at Willows, attended by Queens of Maytime Frolic.

7:30 p.m.—Official opening of the home-made circus at Gorge.

9 p.m.—Empire ball, Empress Hotel, under auspices of Army and Navy.

10:30 p.m.—Fireworks at Gorge circus.

Friday, May 25

9:00 a.m.—Downtown musical concerts; novelty shopping expeditions.

11:00 a.m.—Grand community pageant at Beacon Hill Park (Maytime Queens in attendance); community singing.

12:30 p.m.—Judging of window and building decorations.

1:00 p.m.—Dutch treat luncheon, Maytime Frolic committees at Chamber of Commerce.

2:00 p.m.—Cadet drill competition; exhibition and sports at Willows; baseball game (time and place to be selected).

7:30 p.m.—Presentation of special features at Gorge circus, continuing all evening.

9:00 p.m.—Novel community dance at Armories.

Saturday, May 26

9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.—Downtown musical concerts; novelty shopping expeditions; street sports; football game (time and place to be selected).

2:00 p.m.—Grand regatta at Gorge, Queens of Maytime Frolic in attendance on decorated barge; continuation of gymkhana at Willows.

7:00 p.m.—Circus features.

9:30 p.m.—Sensational spectacle; Indian night attack at the Gorge.

11:00 p.m.—Queens' official farewell and grand finale.

CAPITOL

Tonight at 8:30

Music Lovers' Night

Capitol Symphony Orchestra

WILLIAM TICKLE, Director
DRURY PRYCE, Solo Violinist

Capitol Concert Organ

F. C. HODGSON, MUS. BAC. F.R.C.O., ORGANIST

Feature Attraction

Douglas Fairbanks

In **"ROBIN HOOD"**

A story of Robin Hood, England's greatest outlaw, and his merry men of Sherwood Forest.

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YOUTHFUL ACTORS READY TO APPEAR

Delightful Entertainment to Be Staged at The Playhouse Friday Evening and Saturday Matinee

There is still another rehearsal to be held in connection with the entertainment to be given at The Playhouse on Friday evening and Saturday afternoon by the Royal Bride Chapter, I.O.D.E. But it is not really needed. The children yesterday showed that they know their parts to perfection, and everyone may anticipate a most delightful programme, which will appeal to any and all boys and girls and to all grown-ups as well who have not entirely lost the faculty of imagination. The background of the entertainment is fairy-lore and nursery-rhyme story. The two little plays are posies culled from the garden of child literature.

The names of these playlets are "Fairy Love," and "Mary Contrary's Garden," and in the course of the programme there will appear little actors representing the dandelion, the dew, Springtime, and many other things suggesting the flower-time of the year.

After the play there are to be some living pictures, highly suitable for children: "The Age of Innocence," "Cherry Ripe," some Kate Greenaway groups, etc. Miss Margaret Campbell and Mr. Drury Pryce are giving great assistance by taking charge of the musical part of the affair.

The following have very kindly promised their patronage and support: His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Nichol, His Worship the Mayor and Mrs. Hayward, General and Mrs. Ross, Sir Frank and Lady Barnard, Mrs. Henry Croft, Mrs. Dunsmuir, Mrs. A. F. Griffiths, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, and the Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E.

CENTRAL INSTITUTION IN BANKING SYSTEM

London Morning Posts Suggests That Something Like Bank of England May Be Advisable in Canada

LONDON, April 25.—Discussing the inquiry now being conducted by the committee of the Canadian House of Commons with a view to amending the Canadian Banking Act, the financial editor of The Morning Post is not prepared to affirm that the time may not come when the banking system of Canada could be still further strengthened and improved by the creation of some central institution like the Bank of England.

"It is due, all the same, to the Canadian bankers, at this important moment in their history," The Post says, "to admit that the fine record of Canadian banking has not been recognized and appreciated anywhere more than in this country. Unfortunately, whenever the period has arrived when legislation affecting banking has to be considered, there is always a tendency for political considerations to enter, and we know that already there are indications of these insidious political influences entering into the banking legislation of the United States. While, therefore, it will be interesting to note any modifications or additions in the nature of improvements in the present Canadian system, we believe the past records should be sufficient to justify the expectations that these changes will be of a minor character."

Sweden is a great paper manufacturing country.

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ONE NIGHT

Under the distinguished patronage of Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Nichol

The Kiwanis Club

Presents the

PLAYERS' CLUB

of the

B.C. University

In Bernard Shaw's

Witty Comedy

"You Never Can Tell"

Mon., April 30

At 8:20 P.M.

Proceeds in aid of the Royal Jubilee Hospital Building Fund

TICKETS—

$1.50, $1.00, 75c and 50c

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City Drops $10,000,000 Suit Against Newspaper

CHICAGO, April 25.—The period for filing of a petition for rehearing of the City of Chicago's $10,000,000 slander suit against the Chicago Tribune, started during the administration of former Mayor Thompson, will be allowed to expire on May 14, without any action being taken by the city, Francis X. Busch, corporation counsel, has announced, thus making final the Illinois Supreme Court's recent decision, dismissing the case

Vancouver Island

NANAIMO COUNCIL ON SUNDAY GAMES

NANAIMO, April 24.—At the weekly meeting of the City Council last evening the city clerk was instructed to write to the officers of the Royal Humane Society and ascertain what steps were necessary in order to secure recognition from the society for the bravery of Engineer M. Fagan, of the E. & N. Railway, who, some months ago, rescued a little girl from certain death by crawling out to the front of his moving locomotive and sweeping the child from the front of the engine.

The parks and properties committee submitted a report regarding Sunday games on the cricket grounds owned by the city. It was pointed out that the deed to the city from the Athletic Association, from whom the grounds were secured, specified that they should be used for sports, athletic meets, etc. In those days Sunday games were in vogue, and it was presumed that it was the intention to continue them. In May, 1922, a vote of the people had been taken in which the question was asked, "Do you favor the stopping of Sunday games on the cricket grounds?" To this 168 replied "Yes" and 419 "No." In view of these facts the committee recommended that no steps be taken to stop Sunday games. The report was left over until next week, when it will be dealt with.

COURTENAY COUPLE WEDDED SIXTY YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kirkwood Celebrate Their Diamond Anniversary—Many Attend

COURTENAY, April 24.—An interesting event to many Courtenayites and a great number of friends in various other places took place yesterday when the sixtieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kirkwood was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Ledgerwood, Anderton Avenue.

Mr. Kirkwod was born in Glasgow in 1835, and came to Ontario with his parents when a boy of eight years, living with his parents on a farm near Kingston until he was old enough to leave home. He spent several years as a sailor on boats that sailed the Great Lakes, but returned to the farm in 1861, where he remained for two years, then married Miss Annabel Connor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Connor, of Brockville, and came west to Deloraine, Manitoba, where they remained and farmed until ten years ago, when they came to Courtenay to make their home with their daughter. There have been six children, and they all survive. "They are: Thornton, of Elnora, Alberta; William H., a former alderman of Courtenay, but now living at Botha, Alberta; Mrs. Fred Connor, of Deloraine, Manitoba; Wesley, of Bozeman, Manitoba; Mrs. E. J. Collins, of Los Angeles, California, and Mrs. James Ledgerwood, of Courtenay. Though Mr. and Mrs. Kirkwood are eighty-eight and eighty-five years of age, respectively, they are both enjoying good health amid the surroundings of a pleasant home.

MR. AND MRS. KIRKWOOD, WITH GREAT-GRANDCHILD

Besides the family mentioned above, there are twenty grandchildren and one great-grandchild, Master Clark Franklin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Franklin, of Seattle, shown in the accompanying photograph of his great-grandparents. Mrs. Scott, of Sudbury, Ontario, who was bridesmaid at the wedding sixty years ago, and Mr. William Beattie, of Victoria, are the only persons present on that occasion who are now living to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Kirkwood on their diamond wedding day. The celebrants were visited by a large number of friends and received many bouquets of flowers and several presents.

ORGANIZES BRANCH OF UNITED FARMERS

Meeting Held at Cobble Hill Takes Necessary Steps—Various Matters Are Dealt With

COBBLE HILL, April 24.—The organizing meeting of the new local of the United Farmers of British Columbia was held in the Community Hall on Saturday evening last. The chair was taken by Mr. E. W. Bomford, and Mr. Cainan acted as secretary. Others present were Messrs. Copeman, Paull and Horsefell, of Sahtlam local; Mr. Neel, of Duncan; Mesdames Meredith, F. T. Porter, McMillan, T. P. Barry, Messrs. Aisdorf, Melhuish, C. Nightingale, C. Meredith and T. Keene.

Mr. Keene suggested that there should be a club associated with the local of the union, the membership fee of which would be $1. The members of this club would receive the full privileges of the union if later they subscribed the full fees.

Mr. Cainan explained that a large percentage of the members of the Farmers' Institute had always joined in order to obtain the reduced price on stumping powder.

Mr. Copeman stated that the plan of an associated club was quite in order, and an invitation was extended to any wishing to join under such conditions.

The following officers were elected: Mr. Bomford, president; Mr. E. Sheving, vice-president; Messrs. N. P. Dongan, Wm. Aisdorp, H. Stewart and A. W. Melhuish to be directors. Mr. Bomford remarked upon the inadvisability of too many of the directors being residents of one section of the district.

The name by which the local should be known was discussed. Mr. Cainan suggested that it should be called the Shawnigan local. Mrs. Porter claimed that this was misleading, in view of the fact that the district directly adjacent to Shawnigan Lake Railway Station was generally considered Shawnigan. The branch of the Farmers' Institute is called the Shawnigan Farmers' Institute, this being to cover the entire district extending from the lake to Hillbank. Mrs. McMillan thought that as there are 269 registered voters for Cobble Hill polling division, Cobble Hill should be the name. This was eventually put to the house and carried.

The next thing to be decided was the dues required from members. Mr. Paull said that the Sahtlam local charged $1.75 per annum for men and 50 cents for women. The central office must be paid $1.25 annually for each member, but money can be raised by entertainments, etc., to meet this tax. It was decided by vote to set the fees for the time being at $1.75 and 50 cents. The first Saturday of every month will be the meeting day of the local branch of the United Farmers.

The Sahtlam members and Mr. Neel all spoke a few words of congratulation to those starting the new branch of an organization in which they themselves have the greatest faith.

WEST SAANICH GIVES SUCCESSFUL DANCE

Over fifty couples attended the dance given by the West Saanich Women's Institute at its hall at Sluggett's on Tuesday night. The floor was good and the music delightful, the dancers expressing their appreciation by repeated encores. Bouquets of narcissus and daffodils were used on the stage and in the tearoom. Messrs. Shields and Freeland were at the receipt of customs, while music was provided by Mrs. E. Sidwell, of Bamberton, and Mr. Nuttall, of Victoria. Extra numbers were kindly played by Miss Constance Wright. Visitors from Victoria, Bamberton, Saanichton and other parts of the district were in attendance, and the entire affair was a pronounced success. The next dance will be given on May 8 by the teachers of the West Saanich school, and will be held in the Institute hall.

COURTENAY RESIDENT CALLED BY DEATH

COURTENAY, April 23.—The funeral of the late George Leafres Woodhead, who passed away at the Comox Hospital on the sixteenth instant after a long illness was held last Friday from Sutton's Undertaking Parlors to the Anglican Cemetery, Sandwick, where the Rev. J. W. Flinton conducted the ceremony. The deceased had been an employee of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway for the past nine years, coming to Comox district three years ago from Shawnigan Lake to act as watchman at the Dollar crossing. He leaves a widow. There were many floral tributes, notably from fellow-employees of the railway. Mrs. Woodhead is returning to Shawnigan.

R. C. M. P. REMOVED FROM PORT ALBERNI

Departure of Sergt. Taylor Is Much Regretted by Residents—Board of Trade's Plans

PORT ALBERNI, April 23.—Sergt. H. E. Taylor, of the R.C.M.P., has been notified by his department that the Dominion Government is closing down the local detachment and that he is to be moved to Prince George to take charge of the detachment at that point.

It is a matter of general regret that the Government has decided to close this detachment, and particularly that Sergt. Taylor is being moved from here. He has been in charge since the R.C.M.P. first came to this district four years ago, and during that time both he and Mrs. Taylor have made a large circle of friends, who will be extremely sorry to see them go.

The funeral of the late J. Bryant took place yesterday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, and was attended by a large number of friends of the deceased. The band, of which deceased was a prominent member, attended and played appropriate music on the route from deceased home to the cemetery.

At a meeting of the Alberni Board of Trade it was decided to invite Mr. George I. Warren, president of the Associated Boards of Trade of the Island, to visit Alberni in May and address the board at its usual monthly meeting. The election of officers was deferred until the May meeting.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of All Saints Church, Alberni, is having a sale of home cooking in the hall above the postoffice on Tuesday afternoon. Refreshments will be served during the afternoon.

Mr. Alex. Cruickshank, Mr. William Cassier and Mr. J. Damaska left by car yesterday for Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Brierly, who formerly resided at Wellington, have taken up their residence at Alberni.

CONSTRUCT FERTILIZER FACTORY AT MILL BAY

High-Class Product From Star Fish to Be Turned Out at Mill Bay for Benefit of Farmers

MILL BAY, April 24.—The Cowichan farmers will shortly be able to get fertilizer of a high grade almost at their own door, if the present intentions of a new concern reach fruition.

Mr. A. B. Watson is at present hard at work putting up a plant at Mill Bay, on a site acquired from Captain Fred MacFarlane immediately adjoining the Government wharf. The factory is to deal with star fish, which it is stated, after the necessary treatment, produce a very superior fertilizer, containing nearly six per cent nitrogen, fifteen per cent calcium, besides phosphoric acid, which is found in all fish products. Experiments with this fertilizer, it is claimed, have proved it to be one of the most powerful means of increasing plant production yet known. Grain, roots, garden produce of all kinds, which have been treated with this preparation gave enormous crops.

In Japan star fish in the raw state are largely used for the rice fields, and already Mr. Watson says he has been approached by Japanese who would like to take his whole output for export to Japan.

Arrangements have been made for the collection of the raw material around the coast, where those conversant with the facts state there seems to be an unlimited supply. In connection with this, there is a curious fact about star fish which is not generally known—they move by night, so much so that if a portion of the beach be picked clean of the fish one day, in a day or two there will be just as many found.

The drying platforms are nearly completed at Mill Bay; the engine of 14 h.p. is expected this week, and work will probably be in full blast in ten days.

The company is deserving of every success and all who have the advancement of the Island at heart hope they will get the support they are entitled to.

Police Capture Escaped Murderess in Honduras

SAN SALVADOR, April 25.—Mrs. Clara Phillips, the Los Angeles murderess, who escaped from a California prison some time ago, has been captured through the combined efforts of detectives from the United States and the local police in Tegucigalpa, Honduras, according to information received here.

She was arrested in her room in a hotel.

ROYAL BRIDE FRANKLY TALKS OF HER PLANS

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warned men to beware of the Celtic women, who, more than others, are gifted with the power of beguilement.

Her eyes, large and darkly blue, deeply fringed with long black lashes, fascinate with their spell. Now and again, under quick pleasure or excitement or shyness, a faint flush plays across her clear, transparent cheeks, but the mobile mouth with its pretty curves and dimples remains red and fresh.

A Childhood Among Ghosts

There is a charming snap in her expression when she speaks in definite accents which suggests a temperament not to be imposed upon. If necessary, the future Duchess of York will be able to control. She has the shrewdness of the Celt and a correct idea of justice.

With regard to her life as a child, she laughingly said: "There is nothing very much to tell. My earliest years were spent at Glamis, "the castle of ghosts," and my best pal was my little brother David. We were inseparable. 'We' was the name we went by. We used to wander about, play with our dogs, and our rabbits and pets; fish with the clansmen; do a little shooting; and just mucked about generally.

"I never went to school. When David went to college I had governesses. I have never really been finished.

"We had our holidays in Italy, which we spent sometimes with one of our grandmothers, sometimes with the other. We were mostly in Florence, where we were taught much by visits to the galleries. It was there I learned to love pictures.

Florentine Gown Copied

"My wedding dress is to be a copy of an old Florentine picture, with the graceful flowing lines, something like the robes of Dante's Beatrice. I am too small to wear anything heavy or elaborate, so the dress has been made as simply as possible, introducing some ancestral lace, including a bit worn by one of my very great grandmothers at a ball given for Bonnie Prince Charlie. The sleeves are of Nottingham, as a tribute to a British industry on which I am very keen, and Queen Alexandra has given me the bit to be appliqued on my long tulle veil."

She finally told me her family had lived at Glamis since the year 1376. In that year the castle was given to the house of Lyon as the dowry of Princess Johanna, daughter of Robert II of Scotland. There is no nook or cranny in the whole building with which she is not familiar, and as for its famous ghosts —

"You know," she said, "we forget about the ghosts; to us they are just members of the family. But you have no idea of the number of terrified visitors who have declined to sleep another night in the castle after having met poor old Beardie, our oldest and best ghost; or the Gray Lady, our gentlest and kindest one.

They Scared Novelist

"Even Walter Scott was frightened out of his senses after going to bed; and the poet Gray was simply frozen dumb the morning after his experiences.

"As a child, I have walked up and looked our ghosts in the face and they have never hurt me. Queen Mary Stuart comes at times, carrying a sealed letter in her hands. She is very like her portraits.

"I shall never forget when I was about six, a very charming American came to Glamis; he was visiting some friends near by. I think he was from Harvard. We, David and I, were greatly taken with him because he was the first American we had ever met. We told him thrilling tales about the ghosts and we answered all his amusing questions.

"One day he said: 'Lady Elizabeth, do you think you and David could 'can' one of these ghosts for me to take back to Boston?' David and I took him very seriously and we spent some time searching about to see if we possibly could find a very little ghost that might fit into a bottle or a jar. Oh, he was a scream; fancy a 'canned' ghost!"

Queen Tucks Her In Bed

"Tell me of your first visit to the royal home," I asked.

"Oh, the King and Queen and all of them were so good to me. They made me seem so very welcome at York Cottage, and gave me Princess Mary's suite of rooms. They are not big rooms—rather small, but so home-like and gay. The first night I was there Queen Mary tucked me in bed. She kissed me and said, 'I am so glad you are here. I have lost my own little girl and now you are to be just like a very own daughter to me.' She had put the most beautiful flowers in my room, arranging them all herself."

"Do pardon my curiosity, but must you always curtsey to the Queen?"

"I always try to, but the Queen takes me by the hand, lifts me up and puts her arms around me."

"The decorations in the Abbey will be very elaborate, I suppose?"

"On the contrary, the whole idea is to have everything as simple as possible, with no attempt at display—just palms and white flowers, and we hope to have some heather but it will be rather early for heather.

Honeymoon House Lent

"Our honeymoon will be spent in England, in a house which is to be lent by a friend. We have had many places offered us, but most of them are too big and pretentious. We want just a sort of medium kind of house, where we can have a quiet life; and, some time before the year is over, we hope to go abroad.

"We have to economize, you know, because our income will be small and the Duke's public expenses are very heavy. We shall live most of the time at Richmond, at White Lodge. Lord Farquharson has left heaps of his wonderful furniture for our use, and he has given some beautiful pieces for wedding presents. As for a town house, we have made no plans. We shall be obliged to have some sort of a home actually in London sometime, I suppose, but where it will be, I can't say.

"I wish my dear Scotch people could all come to the wedding. There will be a ball at Glamis for the clansmen that night, and they will light bonfires on the hills. Our people are pleased that the Duke is marrying a Scotch woman."

There came into her eyes a note of longing—for the heather and the highlands, and the free life there.

She Loves a Joke

It is to be hoped that court dignity will not erase all of Lady Elizabeth's natural buoyancy and unconventional charm. As she speaks she spaces her clever sayings with little bits of laughter. She loves jokes and amusing stories, but her sense of humor is well balanced by deep feeling of sympathy. She is keenly interested in life and anxious to please. There is no thought of brilliant prospects or rank. The future Duchess of York is simply happy and the idea that she may make others happy is foremost in her mind.

On the arms of the house of Lyon is a little lady, richly dressed, rising upwards with a thistle in her right hand. The story of how this lady came to be included in the arms of the house is unknown to the family, but may it not be taken as a sign of the future when, who knows, a daughter of Scotland may rise to help and bless the world of industry, the world which Lady Elizabeth rightly declares is "the real world."

BIG INCREASE IN WOOD PULP EXPORT

OTTAWA, April 25.—Newsprint paper exported from Canada during the month of March amounted to 2,268,998 cwt., valued at $8,609,766, as compared with 1,903,913 cwt., valued at $6,793,125 in March of 1922.

Wood pulp exported from Canada in March amounted to 1,503,038 cwt. compared with 1,175,425 cwt. in March a year ago.

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C.P.R. PRESIDENT DISCUSSES RIVAL

SOME FACTS PRESENTED BY MR. BEATTY ON SITUATION

Patronize People's Railway as Slogan Is Not Business Proposition, Is His Contention

HAMILTON, Ont., April 24.—Speaking at the annual dinner of the Hamilton Chamber of Commerce here tonight, Mr. E. W. Beatty, K. C., president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, said:

"I presume it will not be suggested that Canada's transportation companies may not materially contribute to Canada's advancement or denied that on Canada's prosperity their own prosperity depends. In their opinion as public service corporations they must of necessity appeal for support to the people whom they serve, and their problems should be understood. If not entirely comprehended by these people, their status in the country is enormous. They, or at least one of them, is a heavy taxpayer. They share in general prosperity, and when commercial adversity develops they feel it most heavily. Without trade development, both within and from and to the country, they cannot secure the necessary tonnage to make their operations reasonably successful, and over the four or five years no railway company in Canada can be said to have made a reasonable return on the capital invested or to have secured an adequate margin in earnings to ensure proper participation in the country's development.

Chief Competitor

"The company with which I am associated is Canadian and English in ownership to a paramount extent—sixty-five per cent of its stock is held in Great Britain and Canada and eighty-seven per cent of its ranking securities owned by citizens of the Empire. It was constructed as a term of Confederation, and without it Confederation would not have been possible. There is invested in its railway lines, exclusive of all subsidiary enterprises, cash to the extent of $900,000,000. Its net revenues for the year 1922 represented a return of 4 per cent on the cast invested on the railway property alone, and the average for the past five years was 3.9 per cent. Its credit has been taken as a yard-stick of Canadian credit by foreign investors, and its property has contributed to the encouragement and support of Canadian industries by foreign and British capital. Its chief competitor is the National Railways, and in many quarters the chief weapon of competition is the slogan, 'Patronize the People's Railway and Save Taxes,' a slogan which I am led to believe is not condoned by the chief executive officers of that railway because they realize that it is unfair and also disruptive of the morale of their own institution in that reliance for support is put upon sentiment and not upon service, by which, in the last analysis, we must all expect to be judged. If it were necessary it would be easy to answer such a slogan on the basis of the results in dollars and cents to the individual shipper. Undoubtedly, if the National Railway is successful, the burden on the taxpayer is lessened, and as representing the largest taxpayer in Canada, I may say to you quite frankly that this result, if accomplished, would appeal to me very strongly, the more so as the factors which contribute to the success of the National Railway are the same factors which will make possible the greater success of the Canadian Pacific.

"But there is another expense that takes more out of the pockets of the business community than taxes, and that is freight and passenger tolls. In order to enable the people of this country to enjoy the lowest rates consistent with the protection of credit and proper revenue returns, the Railway Commission, by direction of the Governor-in-Council, has ordained that the earnings of the Canadian Pacific should be used as a basis for fixing rates in this country. I would not think that to be a safe or proper method under normal conditions and with a normal railway situation. It has been induced, however, by the fact that the railways constituting the Government system were not built for co-ordination, but in many cases for competition, and when they were acquired it was found that they were laid out in such a way that various portions of them competed with others. That there was a duplication of construction within the same system (much of it was new construction or relatively new), and it was not thought that railways which came into being under these circumstances and with this disability should be taken as the standard for the purpose of rate-making generally. It was decided that the decision was applied and the results of the operations of the railway operated at the lowest cost should be the measure in fixing rates, and this was, of course, of distinct advantage to all shippers and travelers. It follows that the larger the business of the Canadian Pacific, the greater its revenues and ultimately the lower the tolls. In other words, the rates will be fixed on what the Canadian Pacific can operate for, and the larger the business the lower its operating rates, and the lower the rates to the shippers of Canada.

"I would suggest to you, therefore, that patronage of this company's lines on this theory would probably result in greater savings to the taxpayer than the exclusive patronizing of its rival, because I feel confident that it will be conceded that the average shipper pays out in freight per annum much more than he pays in income taxes.

"Over twenty years ago this country enacted the Railway Act of Canada, a very forward piece of legislation, designed to settle in an independent manner differences between the public and the carriers. It conferred on the railway commission powers broader than those enjoyed by any other similar tribunal, and these powers have been invoked by provinces, municipalities, public bodies, and individuals almost continually. The results of their deliberations are not always satisfactory to the carriers, but for the purpose of their work, to use the appropriate language of the Privy Council, 'the commission not only has the advantage of hearing the evidence and following the cross-examination, but brings to bear the experience of its own members extending in many cases over a considerable number of years and familiarity with railway problems thus acquired.'

"It has in addition at its disposal a permanent staff of experts, officials trained in the various branches of the work of the board and able to advise the commissioners in the many intricate and more or less technical subjects that are before the board for adjudication. It follows that a decision of the board so arrived at as to what may constitute under all the circumstances a fair and reasonable rate could not, except for extraordinary cause, be usefully reviewed by Your Excellency's advisers; indeed for Your Excellency's advisers to take upon themselves to weigh the evidence adduced and substitute their own judgment for the judgment of the board upon the question of fact arising on the issue, and to be determined upon such evidence, would defeat the purpose for which the Board of Railway Commissioners was created, and would, in the end, be highly prejudicial to the public interest.

"I subscribe to these views because I believe they represent in very accurate language the purpose of Parliament in establishing this tribunal. I believe also that this tribunal has performed remarkably efficiently and with great ability and diligence, the public work it was designed to perform. When the circumstances warranted it and its activities were engaged in revising rates downward, it was extraordinarily popular and acclaimed from one end of the country to the other. With the turn of the wheel came high costs and heavy operating expenses, which could only be met by increases in rates, its popularity seemed to wane.

"The alternatives would be rates fixed for political expediency, which would be disastrous; or more freedom for the carriers, and I am one of those who believe that the public interest requires reasonable regulation of all public service corporations. I mention the Railway Commission because railways and rates being so much in the public eye, its deliberations come in for considerable public comment, and I might even add, that certain gentlemen in public life, who have proffered requests to the Railway Commission which they undoubtedly regard as either advantageous, or at least politically expedient, with whose views the Railway Commission disagreed, after months of deliberation and the hearing of interests from all parts of the country, periodically advocate its abolishment or a change in its personnel.

Build Up Communities

"Now, it may be human to regard one who disagrees with your views to be wrong, but it does not necessarily follow that he is a knave, or incompetent, or that a good political slogan is necessarily founded on a sound economic fact. Neither does it follow that a railway company which opposes an application from British Columbia or Ontario, has necessarily thrown in its lot with Manitoba or Quebec. No transcontinental railway company can afford to be sectional in its ambitions; neither can it disregard its state in any Province, and its business of that Province. Railway companies have been known by their activities to build up communities by providing facilities which enable these communities to reach their own national developments. A railway cannot make a province prosperous, but it can contribute to its prosperity by enabling it to realize its own destiny.

"What we seem to need is what I might call a 'balanced immigration,' which would supply our industries as well as our farmers with the best available help.

"As a rule it is not easy to induce the skilled mechanics and craftsmen of any country to migrate to another; but there are times when mankind seems to be set loose in a flood of unrest. It was such a flood that drove the Huguenots to England and thus gave England some of her now basic industries. A similar flood seems to be raging through Europe and Great Britain today, and if only the doors of immigration are kept open we may find in Canada a home for workers who for generations have been identified with highly skilled trades and crafts.

"I referred to the subject of taxation because, being a young country with a sparse population and great undeveloped resources, the lightening of taxation would have two very important consequences. In the first place it would be an inducement to the overtaxed inhabitants in other countries to come to a country where their burdens would be lighter, and it would release for industrial and commercial development the surplus incomes of those Canadians who would be glad to invest their surplus in Canadian enterprise. Undoubtedly a lower scale of taxation would be forced upon us, because the tendency in other countries is that a reduction should be made. But from the standpoint of Canada's opportunity it would be infinitely preferable if other means to obtain the requisite public moneys could be devised, that so should be in advance of the United States."

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Fine All-Wool Cashmere Hose, black only, hem tops, spliced heels and toes. Sizes 8½ to 9½. Values to $1.25. Per pair **89c**

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Children's Half and Three-Quarter Length Wool Socks, in tan, brown and black. Values to 95c. Reduced to:
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Royal Society Embroidery Cotton, good assortment of colors. Reg. 5 skeins, 6 skeins for **19c**

Ladies' Stamped Nightgowns, made from good quality longcloth. Special, each **98c**

4-Ply English Sweater Wool, good range of shades. Special, 7 balls for **$1.00**

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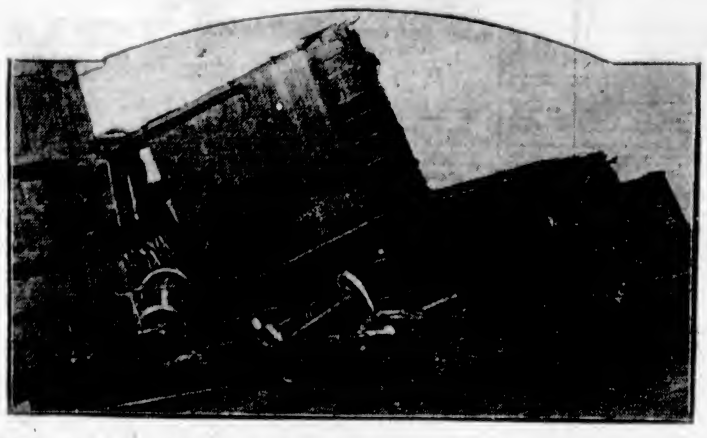
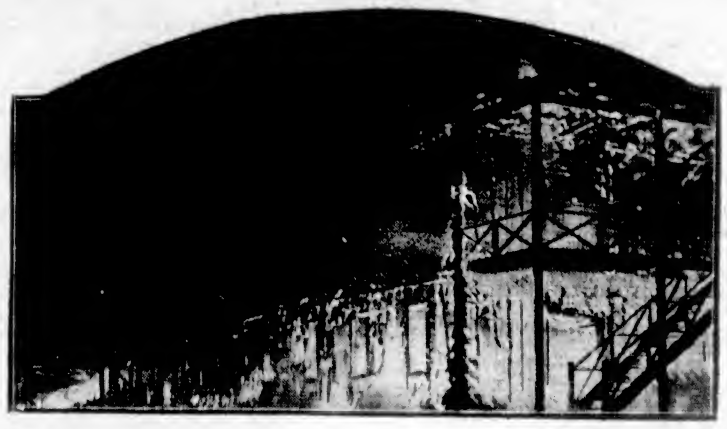


This freight wreck on the lines of the Grand Trunk near Chatham, Ontario, did damage to the extent of $100,000 and tied up traffic for a considerable length of time.

William Nelson Cromwell, an American resident of Paris, who has given 400,000 francs for the establishment of a Legion of Honor Museum.



The fire which destroyed the barracks of the Royal Canadian Regiment at London, Ontario, was unusually interesting from a photographic point of view. The total damage was in the neighborhood of $50,000.

A more or less interesting study of Patsy Ruth Miller, one of the later generation of film stars.

A remarkable snapshot showing Capt. Campbell's car crossing the finishing line with W. O. Bentley's car second, during the speed races at Brooklands, England.

Lady Eleanor Smith, daughter of Lord Birkenhead, wanted to be a movie star and had successfully completed negotiations to that end when her father stepped in and squashed the idea.

Mrs. Harold Cluxton recently created a sensation by importing nine Russian wolf hounds to add to her household pets. She exhibited the three shown above at a dog show in Chicago.

A very effective masquerade costume seen at one of the recent fancy dress balls in Toronto.

Something new in Tuxedo sweaters. It is of black and white fibre silk with a very unusual all-over Jacquard design.

Charles de Roche, recently imported from Europe by a movie concern to play the parts formerly taken by Valentino.

King George accompanied by his four sons, the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York, Prince Henry and Prince George, riding in Windsor Park. Prince George is almost entirely hidden behind the Prince of Wales.

A new photo of the Archbishop of Canterbury, who will officiate at the wedding of the Duke of York and Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon. He has performed more royal marriages than any other living prelate.

Part of the cast for "So This Is London," arriving in Liverpool from America. On the left is Edward H. Robins, well-known to all Toron to theatregoers.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

DEATHS

AUCOTT—On April 17, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest F. Aucott, 2316 Brighton Street, the death occurred of Ernest John James Aucott, aged 11 years, born in Hong Kong, China, and a resident of this city for the past 21 months. Deceased is survived by, besides his parents, one brother, Ian. The funeral will take place on Thursday, April 26, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 2:15, and at 2:30 o'clock service will be conducted at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, by the Rev. G. H. Andrews. Interment will take place at Ross Bay Cemetery.
(Hong Kong papers please copy.)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS 1

GRAND Scotch barn dance, Victoria Quoiting Club, in Orange Hall, 8:30, 27th April. Gents 50c, ladies 25c.

MASQUERADE dance, Marigold Hall, Friday, April 27th, 9 to 1. Hunt's orchestra. Refreshments. Admission 50c.

PRIMROSE Lodge, D.O.E. Peg Dance, Friday, 27th, Foresters Hall, 8:30. Refreshments. Admission 35c.

PRINCESS Alexandra D. & M. of E. meeting, Thursday, April 26th, Harmony Hall.

RUMMAGE Sale, Local Council of Women, Saturday, April 28th. Kindly leave goods Friday morning, or call phone 6643L.

THE Women's Liberal Conservative Club will hold its educational meeting in the club rooms, Campbell Building, Friday evening, 8 o'clock.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

BOY wanted about 16 years old, one who can drive Ford preferred. The Cabin.

GOOD Wages for Home Work—We need you to make socks on the fast, easily learned Auto Knitter; experience unnecessary, distance immaterial, positively no canvassing, yarn supplied. Particulars 3c stamp. Dept. 94-C, Auto Knitter Co., Toronto.

MAKE Money at Home—$15 to $60 paid weekly for your spare time writing showcards for us. No canvassing. We instruct you and supply you with work. West-Angus Showcard Service, 39 Colborne Bldg., Toronto.

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SLACK cooper wanted. Canadian Western Cooperage, Ltd., Victoria, B.C.

SMART youth to learn bakery business. Apply Yorkshire Bakery, Yates Street.

SEVERAL good, bright boys wanted for early morning work. Apply J. Watson, 1914 Douglas St.

SALESMAN for household canvassing; also salesman with car, to carry full line of goods and cover entire Island. Box 5967, Colonist.

WANTED — General trustworthy farm hand; must be good milker. Phone 47 Duncan. J. L. Pridham, Koksilah, B.C.

WANTED—Cook for 12 men; man or woman; state wages. Box 3967, Colonist.

WANTED for alterations and repairing, cleaning and pressing. Box 5367, Colonist.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP 3

DAY girl for housework, in Oak Bay; four in family; references. Phone 3648L.

EXPERIENCED cook-general wanted. 1611 Belcher Avenue, or phone 160.

EXPERIENCED cook-general, sleep in, good home, Oak Bay, references. Box 5936, Colonist.

NURSE-HOUSEMAID for country position; must be English or Scotch, wage $35. Reply, Box 93, Duncan.

SMART, experienced young women for bakery. Apply Yorkshire Bakery, Yates Street.

WANTED—Experienced waitress. Holley's Restaurant, 622 Fort St.

WOMAN for housework and care of two children, sleep in, wages $20. Phone 4612L. Mrs. Phillips.

WANTED—Young lady help. May 1st. State wage to Mrs. Cresswell, "The Chalet," Deep Bay.

WANTED—Nursery governess for two boys, in the country. Ware, Cobble Hill.

WANTED at once — Strong reliable woman, to work on small goat ranch. Miss Payne, Sidney, Vancouver Island.

WANTED—Lady, without encumbrances and with practical hotel experience, for housekeeper's position. Apply, with references and full particulars, to Box 3277, Colonist.

WANTED—A capable young woman as mother's help, sleep in, good wages. Phone 1762.

WANTED—Housekeeper for elderly lady. Apply 181 Robertson St. Phone 6346R, after five.

WANTED—Young girl to assist with housework and two children; sleep in. Phone 3954L.

YOUNG women to assist with housework, sleep in. Phone 103.

YOUNG lady or women for general housework, plain cooking, sleep in. Phone 4129X.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

A YOUNG man with 4th class engineer's papers, used in crane and derrick work, gasoline engines, as well as machine shop experience, seeks employment. Box 5592, Colonist.

CAPABLE shingle packer wants work, by day or contract; terms moderate. Apply Box 5992, Colonist.

LAND clearing, fencing and building, general contracting; single, dangerous trees removed. Phone 5293L1.

MINER prospector, with knowledge of assaying, wishes to represent a company or individual to finance scheme in prospect around the Stewart this Summer. If interested phone 6772Y.

WANTED—Position as chauffeur; can drive any car; good references, married; position with private family preferred. T. L. Amnion, 701 Vancouver Street. Phone 1391L.

WANTED—Garden work, lawn kept in order, 95c per hour, or by contract. Phone 6019X.

YOUNG man, 35, requires position as golf professional with club on Island or Mainland; good player, with low handicap, and organizing ability; good references. Box 5729, Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

EXPERIENCED children's nurse wishes morning or afternoon engagement. Phone 6861O.

EXPERIENCED dressmaker wishes work by the day. Phone 1460.

POSITION as housekeeper to one or two bachelors, by English girl; country preferred. Box 3884, Colonist.

WANTED by capable Englishwoman, position as housekeeper, good references, city preferred. L. Reynolds, phone 2213, morning or evening.

YOUNG stenographer seeks position, whole or half time, or would fill in with other duties. 12 months' experience, with reference. Phone 4671X.

YOUNG lady, educated, experienced in bookkeeping, desires position in office, references. Apply Box 5969, Colonist.

YOUNG woman will cook plain dinners or go out as cook's assistant. Write 2119 Chambers Street, City.

EDUCATIONAL 6

B.C. DRAMATIC School, Fort Street. Phone 4535. Elocution, deportment, expression.

CROSBY SCHOOL, corner of Fairfield and Chester. Summer term opens April 10. Particulars, apply Miss Gulland, 1455 Fort Street.

ENGLISH governess desires engagement; experienced, good local recommendations. 4637O, Room 8.

SEFTON College for Girls, 238 Menzies St., Victoria. Primary to Matriculation. Excellent accommodation for boarders. Summer term begins April 9. Miss E. F. Robette, L.L.A., Headmistress.

SHORTHAND SCHOOL, 1011 Government street. Business subjects, thorough tuition. E. A. MacMillan, principal. Phone 374.

SPROTT-SHAW BUSINESS INSTITUTE Courses: Commercial, stenography, clerical, higher accounting, collegiate preparatory, civil service. Phone 28, or write for syllabus. Individual instruction. New Weiler Bldg. New pupils will be accepted each Monday for day school and each Tuesday for night school.

MUSIC 7

AT COLUMBIA SCHOOL OF MUSIC—Courses in piano, violin, vocal (Italian method), theory, harmony, elocution. Pupils' recitals every month free, and open to the public. 1105 Broad Street. Phone 7378.

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ANY branch of dressmaking undertaken (good work); day work can be arranged. Phone 1525L.

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MISCELLANEOUS 10

AUTOS' and boats' engines repaired at your own place by experienced mechanic. Phone 7706R1.

CORDOVA Bay—White Star Line—Leave Johnson and Douglas Streets, Tues., Fri. and Sun., City 11 a.m. and 5.30 p.m., C.B. 9 a.m., 4.45 p.m. Special trips arranged. Phone 4908. C. C. Smith.

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TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 11

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FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS 13

ALSTROEMERIAS, 15c; Alyssums, 10c; Anchuses, 15c; Anemones, Jap, 15c; Aquilegiae, 10c; Arabis, double, 10c; Asters, perennial sorts, 20c; Aubretias, 10c; Bellis, sorts, 10c; Campanulus, sorts, 10c; Canterbury Bells, 3c; Carnations, seedlings, 10c; double sorts, 20c; Centaureas, 10c; Chrysanthemums, Hardy Border, 10c; Clematis, in pots, 75c; Cruciatella, 10c; Dahlias, 10c; Delphiniums, mixed, 10c; Dianthus, Brilliant, 10c; Doronicums, 10c; Erigerons, 10c; Erodiums, 10c; Foxgloves, 5c; Eryngiums, 15c; Fuchsias, 20c; Galega, 20c; Geniets Anchusas, 15c; Geum Mrs. Bradshaw, 10c; Gladioli, 10c; Gysophila, 45c; Helenium, 10c; Helianthus, 10c; Heliopsis, 10c; Helleborus, 10c; Heuchera, 10c; Hollyhocks, 15c; Iberis, 10c; Iris, sorts, 10c; Isatis, 10c; Kniphofia, 20c; Linum, 10c; Lupinus, 45c; Morina, 15c; Myosotis, 3c; Oenothera, 10c; Poeonies, in 20 sorts, 35c; Papaver Oriental, 25c; Penstemons, 10c; Polemonium, 10c; Potentilla, 15c; Primulas, 10c; Pyrethrums, 10c; Salvias, 10c; Saponaria, 10c; Silene, 10c; Stokesia, 10c; Thymus, 10c; Verbascum, 10c; Violas, 10c; Pansies, choice, 5c; Wallflowers, 10c. The above are priced in cents for each, but for dozens, hundreds or thousands a large reduction will be made. C.W.O. with order from unknown customers. Nearly all the above plants are hardy perennials. James Simpson, 611 Superior, Victoria. Phone 1994.

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FOR Sale—Ona E. Long Mfg. Co., Ltd., sawmill head rig, complete with tightener pulley and two 54-in. Simonds saws and two 52-in. Simonds saws. Particulars M. & M. Lumber Co., Ltd., Courtenay, B.C.

FOR Sale—Majestic steel range, four holes, also Gurney Oxford gas range. Phone 5192X.

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FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT 18

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TO RENT—HOUSES 23

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WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES 24

WANTED to Rent, unfurnished or part, for man and wife—Modern cottage, or share home, close in, 2 or 3 rooms. Box 5987, Colonist.

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CUSTOMER requires 5 or 3-room furnished house, Oak Bay, at about $75, for six months from date. Advise Alfred Carmichael & Co., Ltd., 624 Fort St. Phone 5300.

TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSES 26

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TO Rent—Furnished house, from May 1 to October 31 or longer; 5-room house, piano, good kitchen garden and garage, close to lovely little beach, $45 month, 6 months down, or $35 monthly rental. Apply day time, Gordon Cafe, Johnson Street; evenings, 859 Malvern Street, Esquimalt.

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6-ROOM house, best part Victoria West. Phone Redding, 269.

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POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK 27

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AUTOMOBILES 28

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LOST AND FOUND 32

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$3150—FIVE-ROOM modern bungalow, basement, lovely sleeping porch, garage; beautifully laid out garden and lawn, and rockeries. Stands on delightful eminence, in ¾ acre, with full view of Straits. This is the best bargain on the market today.

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SUMMER RESORTS 41

CADBORO BAY—Nice furnished 4-room modern bungalow to let. Box 5835, Colonist.

FOR Rent—Langford Lake—Three-roomed cottage furnished, for Summer season. Apply Box 5977, Colonist.

TO Rent, at Cadboro Bay, in private dwelling on seafront property, private beach, 2 rooms, bath and apartment, furnished; piano; phone, light and water. Phone 5377L2.

SUMMER RESORTS 41
(Continued)

FOR Sale—At Quathiaski Cove, Valdez Island, 1 mile from Campbell River, 10-room house, with 15 acres waterfrontage, prettily situated, with splendid view of Discovery Passage and the snow-clad mountains of Vancouver Island. Residence is eminently suited for Summer boarders. Good fishing, boating and tennis court. For price and further particulars, apply Box 1641, Colonist.

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42

CHARMING suburban home—5 acres, with an almost new, 3-room, modern bungalow, built-in features, beaming and panelling, fireplace, full basement, garage, city water, electric light, bath, toilet, high situation, fine view; rich soil, lovely shade trees, on the 3-mile circle, walking distance to the best schools. Price and all data at office. R. B. Punnett, 113 Pemberton Blk.

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FOR Sale — Beautiful Cowichan Lake property, 31½ acres, 550 feet waterfrontage, $750. Phone 7665X, or 505 Hibben-Bone Bldg.

TWO and half acres of magnificent land, all planted to strawberries, logans and raspberries, will yield big, profitable crop this year. New house, chicken house and barn. Price includes complete household furniture, plow, harrows, cultivator and all necessary tools, horse, wagon, chickens, etc. You can make a living from the day you take possession. On three-mile circle. Can rent adjoining 3½ acres. ABSOLUTE GIFT AT $3,500, ON EASY TERMS. Will take good small business in city as first payment.

$1600 FOR five acres of the best agricultural land on V.I.; all cleared, half acre strawberries; three-mile circle; fine sea views. Very suitable for small fruits and chickens.

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ACREAGE SACRIFICE

8 ACRES, excellent land, all cleared and fenced; good water supply; 4-room cottage, chicken houses. This is the best buying we have offered for years. $2,500. Terms could be arranged if desired.

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PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

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PROPERTY WANTED 45

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LOT WANTED, in neighborhood of Central Avenue, Oak Bay. WILL PAY CASH.

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ACREAGE FOR RENT 54

RENT—11 acres, Quadra St., with small house, some orchard, some clear ground. Apply F. F. Higgs, Albert Head.

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MRS. S. S. READY, ENGLISH DRYGOODS, 2174 CADBORO BAY ROAD. NEW TELEPHONE NUMBER 1946. Customers kindly note and oblige.

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Sealed tenders are invited for the construction of two sixty-foot Diesel power boats and one forty five-foot gasoline launch for the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Fisheries Branch. Copies of blueprints and specifications can be obtained from the office of the undersigned or from the Inspector of Fisheries at Prince Rupert.

Tenders must be addressed to the undersigned and plainly marked on the outside of the envelope, "Tender for Construction of Power Boats," and must be received at this office not later than 12 o'clock noon, the 8th of May next.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque for 10% of the total amount of the tender price.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

(Sgd.) J. A. MOTHERWELL,
Chief Inspector of Fisheries,
Molsons Bank Building.

Vancouver, B.C., April 16, 1923.

Sealed tenders are invited for the construction of one forty-foot gasoline launch for the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Fisheries Branch, also for repairs to the F.P.L. "Gull," "Chloe" and "Black Raven," at present lying at New Westminster, B.C. Copies of blueprints and specifications can be obtained from the office of the undersigned or from the Inspector of Fisheries at Prince Rupert.

Tenders must be addressed to the undersigned and plainly marked on the outside of the envelope, "Tender for Construction of Gasoline Launch," or "Tender for Repairs to Gasoline Boats," and must be received at this office not later than 12 o'clock noon, the 8th of May next.

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Molsons Bank Bldg.

Vancouver, B.C., April 21, 1923.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Hunter, Deceased, and in the Matter of the "Administration Act"

Notice is hereby given that under an Order granted by the Honorable the Chief Justice, dated the 18th day of April, A.D. 1923, I, the undersigned, was appointed Administrator of the Estate of the above-named deceased, with the will annexed. All parties having claims against the said Estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 25th day of May, A.D. 1923, and all parties indebted to the said Estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 25th day of April, A.D. 1923.

R. S. COX,
Official Administrator.

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Finance and Commerce

PRICES AVERAGED SOMEWHAT HIGHER

Foreign Exchanges Were Somewhat Irregular in New York—Time Money Was Little Easier

NEW YORK, April 25.—Prices in today's stock market followed their recent uneven and irregular course with a slightly larger and more diversified turnover. A majority of the stocks were moderately higher with the opening, steels particularly responding to the excellent quarterly earnings statement of the United States Steel Corporation. Quoted values were somewhat shaded at midday, when the selling pressure was most effective, but rallied before the close.

Average prices at the close were somewhat higher than they were at yesterday's close, and there was evidence of a good undertone throughout the day, most stocks offering stiff resistance to efforts of bear traders to force prices down. Higher prices for sugar, cotton and coffee had a steadying effect on stock prices.

Effects of Strike Reports

The shipping stocks were heavy on reports of a dock strike.

Call money remained unchanged at 4½ per cent. Time money was somewhat easier, being quoted at 5 per cent bid and 5¼ per cent asked for the shorter maturities.

The commercial paper market was moderately active, prime names commanding 5 to 5¼ per cent, while those less well known were quoted at 5¼ per cent.

Foreign exchanges were irregular. Demand sterling was easier, being quoted at 4.64, off ⅛. French francs continued their improvement, advancing 2 points to 6.77½ cents. German marks were firmer, advancing 2 points to .0035¼. Cable reports of banking difficulties in Christiania caused a sharp break in Norwegian exchange, crown checks declining 21 points to 17.50 cents.

Bonds Heavy

There was noticeable heaviness in the dealings in bonds today with the exception of the foreign issues, which showed moderate strength on increased demand for the French bonds.

City of Soissons 6's jumped 4 points at one time and closed at about 2 points higher. The demand covered not only the French Government issues, but those of provincial and municipal governments as well, practically all of which were fractionally higher on the day. Serbian 8's were carried up 1¼ points, and Czecho-Slovakian 8's also registered a gain of 1¼.

United States Government bonds were slightly reactionary, small losses being registered by all of the active issues with the exception of the Victory 4¾'s, which were unchanged.

Total sales, par value, were $10,463,000.

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All Fractions in Eighths

	High	Low	Close
Allis-Chalmers	47-3	47-3	47-3
Am. Beet Sugar	44-2	44-2	44-2
Am. Can. Co., com.	97-3	95-6	96-6
Am. Car Fdy.	179	178-4	178
Am. In. Corp.	29-1	27-6	28-2
Am. Locomotive	134-6	134-2	134-6
Am. Smelt & Ref.	63	62	62-7
Am. Sugar Rfg.	81-5	80-2	81-5
Am. T. and Tel.	123	122-7	123
Am. Wool, com.	97-4	96-4	97-4
Am. Steel Fdy.	39-4	38-2	38-2
Am. Sum. Tob.	29-4	28-5	29-3
Anaconda Mining	48-6	48-2	48-5
Atchison	101-3	101-2	101-2
Atlantic Gulf	24	23	24
Baldwin Loco.	128-5	126-7	128-1
Baltimore & Ohio	62-4	61-6	62-3
Bethlehem Steel	64-5	64-1	61-3
Brooklyn Transit	3-2	2-3	2-6
Canadian Pacific	155-4	155	155-4
Central Leather	34	33-2	33-4
Crucible Steel	80-2	78-6	79-2
Chic. Mil. & St. P.	22-7	22-7	22-7
Chic. R. I. & Pac.	32-7	32-4	32-7
Cons. Gas	66-7	66-1	66-6
Chino Copper	26-6	26-3	26-2
Cal. Petroleum	96-3	95-1	95-1
Chile Copper	28	27-7	28
Corn Products	131-7	129	131-7
Erie	11-7	11-3	11-7
Gen. Electric	178-6	177-7	178
Gen. Motors	16-6	16-2	16-5
Goodrich (B. F.)	37-2	37-2	37-2
Gt. Nor. Ore	31-4	31-4	31-4
Granby	30	30	30
Gt. Northern, pfd.	73-6	73-6	73-6
Int'l Nickel	14-2	14	14-2
Int'l Mer. Mar.	9	9	9
Int'l Mer. Mar. pfd.	35-1	34-1	31-5
Kennecott Copper	40-1	39-3	40-1
Kan. City Southern	21	21	21
Miami Copper	29-4	29-3	29-4
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	16-3	15-5	19-5
New York Central	94-3	94	94-1
Northern Pacific	75	74-7	74-7
N.Y., Ont. & Western	18-4	18-4	18-4
Pennsylvania R.R.	45-7	45-5	45-5
Reading	77-1	76-5	76-5
Ray Cons. Mining	15-2	14-7	15-2
Republic Steel	63-2	61-6	62-4
Sin. Oil	34-2	33-6	34
Southern Pacific	91	90-5	90-5
Southern Ry., com.	33-2	33-2	33-2
Studebaker Corpn.	122-4	120-6	122-3
Sloss Sheffield	58	56	58
The Texas Company	45-3	45	45-2
Tob. Prod.	83-2	82-3	83-3
Union Pacific	137-5	137-4	137-2
Utah Copper	69-2	69-4	66-4
U.S. Ind. Alcohol	66	66-4	66
U.S. Rubber	60-6	60-2	60-4
U.S. Steel, com.	106-1	105	105-4
Virginia Chem.	14-4	14-4	14-4
Western Union	112	112	112
Wabash R.R. "A"	31-2	30-4	30-4
Allied Chem. & Dye	72-6	72-4	72-4
Phillips Petroleum	62-7	61-6	62-6
Standard Oil, Indiana	62-6	62-6	62-3
Sears Roebuck	86	83-4	86
Am. Ship & Com.	15-1	15-1	15-1
Shell Union	18	18	18
Contin. Can, New	47-1	46-7	47-1
General Asphalt	46-6	46	46
Kelly Springfield	39-7	38-2	38-2
Coca Cola	77-1	77	77
Columbia Graphaphone	1-7	1-6	1-7
Chic. & N.W. Ry.	82-3	82-3	82-3
United Fruit	173-2	173	173
Fam. Play. Lasky Corp.	86	85-1	86
Keystone T. & R. Co.	9-5	9-4	9-5
Nat. Enamel	70	66-4	70
Nevada Consolidated	15-4	15-2	13-3
Martin Parry Corp.	36	36	36
Pere Marquette	40-2	40-4	40-5
Endicott Johnson	70-7	70-7	70-7
Transcontinental Oil	10-4	10-2	10-2
Invincible Oil	15-5	15-4	15-4
White Motors	53-4	53	53-4
Pullman Co.	126	124-4	128
Pacific Oil	40-7	40-2	40-4
Pan American	74-1	73-4	73-4
Bosch Car	45-4	48-4	46-4
Chandler Motors	66	67-6	64-2
Houston Oil	62	61-3	61-5
Cuban Cane Sugar	17-3	17	17
Pierce Arrow	12-4	11-7	12-6
Retail Stores	82-5	82	82
Stan. Oil of Cal.	54	52-5	53-2
Replogle Steel	22	24-4	24
Royal Dutch	50-5	50-2	50-5
Texas Pacific Ry.	26	25-6	26
Cosden	24	53-2	54

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NEW YORK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, April 25.—Sterling exchange easy at $4.62¾ for sixty-day bills and $4.64 for demand.

Bar silver, foreign, 67⅝.
Canadian dollars, 98 5-32.
France, demand, 6.78.
Lire, demand, 4.95½.
Belgium — Demand, 5.88½; cables, 5.89.
Germany—Demand, .0035½; cables, .0035¾.
Holland — Demand, 39.07; cables, 39.10.
Norway—Demand, 17.50.
Sweden—Demand, 26.68.
Denmark—Demand, 18.70.
Switzerland—Demand, 18.21.
Spain—Demand, 15.32.
Greece—Demand, 1.17.
Poland—Demand, .0021.
Czecho Slovakia—Demand, 2.98.
Argentina—Demand, 36.62.
Brazil—Demand, 10.80.

CANADIAN STERLING

Buying price, 4.71½.
Selling price, 4.74½.

Vanadium	38-2	37-4	38-1
Stromburg Car	66-6	65-4	65-2
Middlestates Oil	11-1	11	11-1
Texas Gulf Sulphur	62-1	62-2	63-1
Montgomery Ward	24-2	23-2	24-2
Midvale Steel	32-2	31-6	32
Pure Oil	27	27	27
Mexican Seaboard	17-2	17-4	17-2
Gulf States Steel	97-4	93-4	97
Int. Paper	45-2	43-7	45-2

WINNIPEG MARKET SHOWS FIRMNESS

Prices Ruled Fractionally Higher, Due to Strong Cables and Unfavorable Weather Conditions

WINNIPEG, April 25.—Strong cables and continued unfavorable weather over the Canadian West gave the local grain market a firm tone today and prices were ruling fractionally higher. The close was ½ cent higher for May and ⅝ cent up for July. Inspections totalled 34 cars, of which 65 were wheat.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	123	123⅝	122⅝	123⅝
July	124⅝	125⅝	124⅝	125½
Oats—				
May	52	52¼	52	52¼b
July	51⅞	53	51⅞a	51⅞
Barley—				
May	58⅝	62½	58⅝	58⅝
July	60⅝	61½	60⅝	61⅝
Flax—				
May	268½	280¼b	268	273½
July	261	271	259	270⅛a
Rye—				
May	87½	87⅝	87½	87⅝
July	88⅝	89½b	88⅝	89⅛b

Cash prices: Wheat—1 nor., 123¼; 2 nor., 121⅝; 3 nor., 113⅝; No. 4, 114⅛; No. 5, 103⅝; No. 6, 103⅝; feed, 97⅝; track, 122⅛.

Oats—2 cw., 52⅞; 3 cw. and extra 1 feed, 47⅝; 1 feed, 47⅝; 2 feed, 43⅝; rejected, 44⅝; track, 52⅞.

Barley—3 cw., 59; 4 cw., 55½; rejected and feed, 52⅝; track, 53⅛.

Flax—1 nwc., 279½; 2 cw., 274½; 3 cw. and rejected, 254½; track, 279½.

Rye—2 cw., 87⅛.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE

(By F. W. Stevenson, 102 Pemberton Bldg.)

	Bid	Asked
Athabasca Oil	..	.12
Bowena Copper	..	.08
Boundary Bay Oil	.00½	.00½
B.C. Perm. Loan	95.00	..
B.C. Fishing Co.	16.00	
B.C. Refining Co.		.35
B.C. Silver	.70	.85
Can. Nat. Fire	50.00	
Cons. M. & S.	22.00	27.50
Cork Province	.10	
Crow's Nest Coal	42.00	52.00
Douglas Channel		.04½
Empire Oil	.01	.01¼
Granby	29.00	31.00
Great West Perm.	..	35.00
Hemlock Gold		.40
Howe Sound	3.50	4.23
Indian Mines	.40	
Int'l Coal	.16	.13½
McGillivrey	.55	..
Nuggett	..	.01½
Premier	3.10	3.50
Rambler-Cariboo	.02	.04
Silversmith	.43	.47
Silver Crest	.02½	.03
Spartan Oil	.02⅝	.03
Snowstorm	.03	.
Standard Lead	.22	.30
Sunloch Mines	..	.22
Surf Inlet	..	.25
Stewart Lands		10.00
Trojan Oils	.03⅝	.04½
Utility	.01½	.00⅝
Whalen, com.	3.00	..
Whalen, pfd.	..	25.00
Wonderphone	..	.25

MONTREAL STOCKS

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	Close
Bell Telephone	121-2
Brazilian Trac.	51
Can. Cement, com.	55-2
Can. Cement, pfd.	104-2
Can. Cottons	129
Can. Gen. Elec.	102
Cons. M. & S.	27
Detroit United	78-4
Dom. Textile	70
Laurentide Co.	94-2
Ames Holden	42-4
Abitibi	58-2
Brompton Paper	43
Mon. Power	117-6
National Breweries	3?-2
Royal Bank	219
Bank of Montreal	240
Union Bank	126
Riordon Paper	4-1

VICTORIA VICTORY BOND

Victory Loan, 5½%

	Will Buy	Will Sell
1st Nov., 1923	1000.00	1010.00
1st Nov., 1924	1002.50	1012.30
1st Dec., 1927	1030.00	1040.00
1st Nov., 1933	1056.50	1066.30
1st Nov., 1934	1030.00	1040.00
1st Dec., 1937	1072.50	1085.50
1st Nov., 1922	1022.50	1023.20
War Loan, 5%		
1st Dec., 1922	1003.50	1013.50
1st Oct., 1931	1011.00	1021.00
1st March, 1937 (payable in New York)	1024.00	1034.00

Add interest accrued to date:

Per $1,000—1922, 1927, 1937 Victories, 21.85.

Per $1,000—1923, 1924, 1933, 1934 Victories, 22.27.

U. S. LIBERTY BONDS

Closing Bids

Liberty 3½'s	101.10
Liberty 1st 4's	97 2-32
Liberty 2nd 4's	97.00
Liberty 1st 4¼'s	97 6-22
Liberty 2nd 4¼'s	67 1-22
Liberty 3rd 4¼'s	97.30
Liberty 4th 4¼'s	27.90
Victories 4¾'s	100 1-32
U.S. 4¼'s	33.27

WORLD'S METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, April 25.—Copper easy. Electrolytic, spot and futures 16¾c to 17c.

Tin easier, spot and nearby $44.72; futures $45.12.

Iron steady, No. 1 Northern $21.50 to $32.

Lead steady, spot $8.

Zinc easy, spot and nearby $7.05 to $7.10.

Antimony, spot $8 to $8.12.

At London

Standard copper, spot £72 7s 6d; futures £73 5s. Electrolytic, spot £80 10s, futures £81.

Tin, spot £210 7s 6d; futures £210 12s 6d.

Lead, spot £26, futures £26 2s 6d.

Zinc, spot £32 17s 6d, futures £33.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, April 23.—Potatoes active; cheese quiet.

Cheese—Finest Easterns, 13c to 16¼c.

Butter—Choicest creamery, 31½c to 32c.

Eggs—Selected, 34c.

Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, $1.20.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, April 25.—Raw sugar, centrifugal, 8.28; refined granulated, 10.00 to 10.23.

NEW YORK COTTON

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	Open	High	Low	Close
May	28.25	28.62	28.12	28.75-86
July	27.15	27.90	27.10	27.67-72
Oct.	24.75	25.30	24.73	25.10-12
Jan.	24.00	24.41	24.02	24.60-5
Mar.	23.65	24.25	23.25	24.25

YESTERDAY'S EXCHANGE

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)

New York sterling, 2.64½.
France, 6.81.
Lire, 4.96.
London bar silver, 32 11-16d.

RAW SUGAR

Close—May, 6.50, July, 6.46; Sept., 6.95, Dec., 6.42, Jan., 6.36, Mar., 5.22.

KANSAS CROP CUT NEARLY IN HALF

Regardless of Rumors of Settlement in Ruhr Situation, Price of Wheat Remained Strong in Chicago

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)

CHICAGO, April 25.—Wheat: The rumors of a settlement between France and Germany caused some buying support, but the market was strong, regardless of the Ruhr and reparations situation. A settlement would be bullish, but the situation is legitimately strong anyway.

A Kansas City authority estimates that of the 4,800,000 acres in Western Kansas affected by the long drought, 2,795,000 acres have already been abandoned. The Spring wheat season is late, and this is serious in view of the labor shortage, the prospects being that the acreage will be much reduced in consequence. Even in regard to cash wheat, the situation is not specially weak.

Liverpool not only maintained the gain of the previous day, but closed ½ to ⅝ higher, with a good demand reported in the United Kingdom and on the Continent. The Greeks finally took about 750,000 bushels of Manitoba wheat and three cargoes of plate wheat. There is going to be much uncertainty in regard to the Winter wheat, and also in reference to the Spring wheat, both in this country and in Canada. We believe the long side will be advisable to follow, with purchases in order, whenever profit-taking causes setbacks.

Corn: Tone strong and market buoyant most of the day, the increasing evidence that stocks on the farms and in country elevators is comparatively small, being a factor. Leading interests that turned bearish a short time ago, were again on the buying side—a tacit admission that the situation was still strong. The cash market was ¾ cent higher, with a good demand here, and sales of 110,000, with some business also at seaboard. Receipts continue liberal and stocks are ample, but with cash corn selling in nearly all positions at the highest point on the crop, and the prices the result of actual competitive buying, we can see nothing essentially weak in the corn situation, even at the advance.

Oats: The indications are for a fairly normal acreage of oats, but the strength in other grains is offsetting this as a market factor temporarily, and with the cash market ¼ cent higher, relatively, and no pressure on cash markets, the short side does not look inviting.

All Fractions in Eighths

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Sept.	121-2	122-2	120-7	122-2
May	125-6	126-4	125-4	126-2
July	123-4	124-4	123	124-4
Corn—				
Sept.	82	83-2	82	83
May	80-2	81-1	79-7	81-1
July	82-1	83-3	82	83-2
Oats—				
Sept.	45	45-2	44-7	45-2
May	45-2	45-4	45-2	45-2
July	46	46-3	46	43-2

SLIGHT DECLINE IN BUTTER LOCALLY

Eggs Maintain Established Price—Carload Went to Eastern Markets From Victoria

A feature of the market this week has been the shipment of the first carload of fresh eggs from Victoria to the Montreal market. This shipment went by refrigerator car direct from the city. Eggs maintain their price of 28 cents a dozen wholesale locally.

Butter has dropped a little again. The prevailing prices wholesale are as follows:

Butter—		
Cowichan		.33
Comox		.48
Salt Spring Island		.48
V. I. Milk Producers		.52
Hollybrook, cartons		.41
Hollybrook, bricks		.40
New Zealand		.40
Buttercup		.40
Alberta		.37
Clover Valley		.37
Lard—According to size of package	.17⅞	.21
Lard, 1-lb. bricks		.21
Cheese—		
Ontario solids, Sept. make		.31
Ontario twins, Sept. make		.31½
Ontario Stiltons, Sept. make		.33
Alberta solids		.26
Alberta twins		.23½
B.C. Cream, doz.		1.30
B.C. Cream, 5 or 10-lb. bricks, per lb.		.34
McLaren's Cream, doz., small		.30
McLaren's Cream, doz., med.		1.40
McLaren's Cream Cheese, 2's		.34
McLaren's Kraft, Swiss 2's		.30
McLaren's Kraft, Can. 5's		.32
Eggs—		
B.C. New Laid, Grade 3, per doz.		.28
Fish—		
Haddies, 15-lb. box, lb.		.13
Kippers, 10-lb. box, lb.		.11
Sablefish, smoked, 10-lb. box, lb.		.20
Codfish Tablets, 20|1's, lb.	.14	.16
Acadia Codfish, 12|2's		4.60
Acadia Codfish, 20|1's		3.50
Potatoes—According to grades and quality, per sk.—		
Salmon Arms, Gem		M.P.
Kamloops		M.P.
Ladner		M.P.
Seed Potatoes		M.P.
Sweet Potatoes, per hamper		3.30
Onions—		
New Zealand, crates		3.50
New Zealand, sacks, lb.	.03	.04
California, per sack		3.50
Local, per sack		M.P.
Okanagan, according to grades		M.P.
Vegetables—		
Asparagus, fresh, Calif.	.15	.17
Asparagus, local, 1-lb. bundles		.22
Artichokes, Globe, Calif., doz.		M.P.
Peas, new green, Calif., lb.		M.P.
Beets, per lb.		.01½
Carrots, per lb.		.01½
Turnips, per lb.		.01½
Parsnips, per lb.		.02
Cauliflower, local	2.00	2.75
Celery, per crate		M.P.
Celery, per dozen		M.P.
Cabbage, Calif., scarce	.06	.09
Cabbage, Okanagan		M.P.
Head Lettuce, imported, per crate		5.50
Hothouse Lettuce, per crt.		1.00
Garlic		.12
Rhubarb, per pound		M.P.
Tomatoes—		
Imported, lugs		M.P.
Fruits—		
Apples—Okanagan, for No. 1 grade—		
Black Twig		1.60
Yellow Newton	1.60	2.20
Okanagan Winesaps	2.22	2.75
Locals		M.P.
Oranges—		
Sunkist Navels, according to grade and size	5.00	6.25
Gold Elephant Navels, according to size	5.00	6.22
Marmalade Oranges, per box		2.72
Marmalade Oranges, per case		4.75
Lemons—		
Sunkist		7.00
Choice		6.25
Bananas—		
City, lb.		.10
Crated, lb.		.11
4-basket crts		3.00
Baskets, 2 doz. each		.65
Grapefruit—According to size—		
Florida	5.50	9.75
California	5.50	6.00
Figs—		
California, according to size		M.P.
Dates—		
Hallowi, bulk, 1922 crop		.06
Sair, bulk, 1922 crop		.07
Turban, 60|12's (Special), per case		7.20
Dromedary, per case		7.00
Camel, 36|10 oz.		2.85
Raisins—		
Calif., cartons, 26|1 c|s		M.P.
Calif., cartons, 12|2		M.P.
Calif., layers, 2's		M.P.
Malaga Raisins, 20|1's	6.25	M.P.
Nuts—		
Almonds, per lb.	.28	.22
Brazils, per lb.	.17	.19
Filberts, per lb.	.21	.24
Walnuts, No. 1	.32	.34
Walnuts, New Manchu	.17	.19

SUGAR

B.C. Refinery—		
White, per hundred	10.70	11.25
Yellow, per hundred	10.30	10.85

FLOUR

	49-lb. Sack
Purity	$2.10
Maple Leaf	2.10
Royal Standard	2.10
Wild Rose (Pastry)	2.10
Royal Household	2.10
B. & K. Flour	2.10
Five Roses	2.10
B. & K. Pastry	2.10

WHOLESALE MEAT PRICES

No special brands quoted

Pork		.16
Beef, No. 1 steers		.12½
Lamb		.26
Hams	.28 to	.39
Lard	.17⅝ to	.19½
Veal	.12 to	.20
Bacon	.32 to	.39
Mutton	.21 to	.26

FEED

	100 lbs.	Per Ton
Barley	$2.20	$42.00
Gr. Barley	2.30	44.00
Corn	2.30	44.00
Cracked Corn	2.40	46.00
Oil Cake	3.45	67.00
Feed Cornmeal	2.40	46.00
Oats	2.36	45.00
Gr. Oats	2.45	47.00
Scratch Food	2.40	46.00
Wheat, No. 1 Feed	2.60	50.00
Bran	1.85	35.00
Shorts	1.95	37.00
Alf. Meal	2.40	46.00
Poultry Mash	2.25	43.00

SHIPPING LOCAL EGGS TO MONTREAL MARKET

Co-Operative Exchange, Through Major Brook, Sent First Carload From Victoria Yesterday

The poultrymen of Vancouver Island who are members of the British Columbia Poultrymen's Co-operative Exchange should be pleased with the results which they have achieved, enabling them to ship from Victoria the first carload of fresh eggs which have been shipped from this city. Major M. W. Brook, the Island manager, when interviewed, stated that this should be a great encouragement to all poultrymen to see the benefits to be derived from co-operation. It is the first car which has ever been shipped east from Victoria, and contains 464 cases of eggs, each case containing thirty dozen, or a total of 167,040 eggs. These eggs were graded according to Dominion Government grades, and inspected by government inspectors, and left the city yesterday for Montreal.

A refrigerator car was used, which will be re-iced at Winnipeg and Fort William. These eggs were all supplied by members of the exchange in Victoria and vicinity.

Major Brook stated that owing to the increased membership and the volume of eggs being received, it has been necessary for them to vacate their present building at 646 Cormorant Street, and they will be located from May 1 in much larger premises at 534 Yates Street.

LONDON, April 25.—Bar silver 32 11-16d per ounce. Money 1 1-8 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills 1⅝ per cent; three months' bills 1 15-16 a 2 per cent.

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PLEA TO PROTECT FOREST RESOURCES

Mr. John R. Booth Expressed Opinion That Drastic Cure Is Needed to Check Waste

When a man has reached the age of 97 years and has spent his lifetime in intimate touch with the forests, his opinion on the value of forest fire protection is invaluable. Mr. John R. Booth, the Ottawa lumber veteran, when asked for his views on the subject, is quoted as saying:

"I can see no other remedy for the ever-increasing ruin of the forest resources of this country except to let the people bring themselves to such a tragic condition of scarce timber and pulpwood, with extreme costs for every foot or cord they buy, that some drastic cure will be sought and applied. Forest conservation will arrive when the absence of it pinches our population hard enough."

Mr. Booth was further asked:

"Running back over your own life as an operator, what proportion of trees of timber size have been taken out by the axe as compared with those destroyed by fire?"

"I would say one to twenty. That's well within the mark.

"So that with fire eliminated, Canada would have had a self-perpetuating forest supply for all time to come?"

"With the larger limit holders that would undoubtedly be true. The nation has been forced to the edge of a timber dilemma not by the lumberjack but by forest fire."

With the ripe experience of John R. Booth and of a vast number of other operators as a guide, Canada is asking that especial precautions be taken to guard against forest fires, and has proclaimed the week of April 22 as a "Save the Forest" week.

It might safely be said that there is no industry independent of forest products, and when employment largely depends upon the forest and its products, Canada is not asking too much of her people that they be careful with fire in the woods.

CANADIAN BANKS' STANDING

OTTAWA, April 25.—An increase of $32,783,075 in the total assets and $31,618,115 in the total liabilities of Canadian banks during the month of March is shown by the monthly bank statement issued through the Finance Department today. Total liabilities of Canadian banks on March 31 last were $2,334,566,589, and assets were $2,609,386,367. Savings deposits increased by approximately seven millions during the month, and current loans in Canada increased by more than eighteen millions.

CANADA'S SILVER EXPORT

OTTAWA, April 25.—Silver bullion exported from Canada during March amounted to 1,390,227 ounces, value $925,968; in March, 1922, exports were 1,183,757 ounces, value $777,737. China was the largest customer in March, taking 562,943 ounces.

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Marine and Transportation

Port Figures Show Victoria Shipping Climbing Up Again

SHIPPING statistics, issued yesterday at the customs for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1923, show that marine business both coastwise and foreign at the port of Victoria during the past twelve months climbed to an appreciable extent above the totals for the years immediately previous. Coastwise traffic, both inwards and outwards, was busier by about 200 sailings than in 1922. Deep sea movements show the same trend, although not to the real extent indicated by the figures. The liquor-laden voyages of the "whisquito fleet" to deep sea are classified under foreign shipping, so that the statistics are swollen beyond their real importance by the numerous departures of these small craft.

The best indication of healthy improvement in Victoria's shipping is contained in the increase of foreign arrivals with cargo. Last year 1,201 ships entered from sea with 30,431 tons weight and 8,503 tons measurement of cargo. Cargo-discharging vessels have not been so numerous at any time in the past ten years. Last year their number was only 1,025, so that during the past twelve months there was an increase of 176 cargo-landing craft.

Comparative figures for the past ten years are as follows:

Coastwise Shipping

	Vessels Arrived			Vessels Departed		
	Vessels	Tonnage	Crew	Vessels	Tonnage	Crew
1914	3,770	2,923,067	149,651	3,327	3,621,336	147,578
1915	3,220	2,333,318	107,166	3,288	2,244,618	107,129
1916	3,137	2,359,678	98,358	3,189	1,991,798	94,875
1917	3,676	2,110,069	95,070	3,710	1,833,314	95,186
1918	3,686	2,226,725	93,722	3,768	1,996,674	94,692
1919	3,896	2,141,415	92,986	4,036	1,823,359	94,211
1920	3,340	2,035,833	100,665	3,369	1,712,090	95,145
1921	2,820	2,018,136	97,329	2,807	1,507,373	91,773
1922	3,797	1,994,600	95,305	2,860	1,671,137	91,737
1923	3,015	2,340,322	101,336	3,063	2,005,483	95,641

Foreign Shipping

Vessels entered inward from sea during the years ending March 31:

	With Cargo			In Ballast		
	Vessels	Tonnage	Crew	Vessels	Tonnage	Crew
1914	1,433	1,484,039	78,505	693	655,356	26,474
1915	1,139	1,363,479	65,785	529	647,378	24,849
1916	1,086	1,313,613	64,151	593	640,371	22,339
1917	1,054	1,396,361	68,602	531	579,528	22,184
1918	941	1,389,319	59,037	597	576,375	25,438
1919	906	1,026,950	52,325	906	634,428	27,626
1920	1,048	1,149,083	54,713	1,116	531,116	26,396
1921	960	1,184,866	57,873	854	724,280	23,740
1922	1,025	1,310,253	60,393	784	864,140	31,367
1923	1,201	1,592,249	67,635	1,165	1,035,984	38,105

Foreign Shipping

Vessels entered outward to sea during the years ending March 31:

	With Cargo			In Ballast		
	Vessels	Tonnage	Crew	Vessels	Tonnage	Crew
1914	787	1,145,103	53,948	1,306	1,360,109	50,153
1915	615	951,796	42,156	993	1,145,057	46,489
1916	370	894,560	34,375	1,050	1,319,864	50,051
1917	573	895,326	35,380	1,001	1,336,767	49,814
1918	564	787,445	32,089	947	1,349,646	51,344
1919	604	805,404	32,133	1,132	1,319,368	48,099
1920	851	793,008	33,561	1,343	1,451,369	53,837
1921	627	409,097	33,018	1,116	1,494,182	59,129
1922	795	862,072	33,156	936	1,623,471	61,337
1923	1,302	1,173,286	43,184	1,059	1,349,850	68,542

Inward during 1923, 1,201 ships carried 30,431 tons weight, and 8,503 tons measurement of cargo. Outward during the same period 1,302 vessels carried 37,857 tons weight and 3,756 tons measurement of cargo.

The Port of Victoria, of which these are the statistics, included the subports of Tofino, Nootka, Sidney Inlet and Ucluelet on the West Coast of Vancouver Island. The volume of shipping at these points is small, however, and does not contribute materially to the figures.

CANADIAN FARMER DUE THIS MORNING

Coastwise Steamer Arriving Early With California Cargo—C.G.M.M. Ships Far Scattered

The C.G.M.M. steamer Canadian Farmer is due in port early this morning from San Francisco. The vessel will berth at the Grand Trunk docks and will be here for an hour or two discharging 80 tons of California freight and taking on Victoria cargo for the North.

The Canadian Prospector, of the C.G.M.M.'s Oriental fleet, left Dairy, Manchuria, for San Pedro, April 9. She is due back in British Columbia waters May 12.

The Canadian Winner, on April 21, left Tsingtau, for Kobe, and after calling at this port and making other Japanese calls will arrive in British Columbia about May 30.

The Canadian Highlander left Kobe for Shanghai, April 22. It will be June 30 before she is again in home waters.

The Canadian Scottish came in from Australia yesterday morning, passed quarantine and went up to Vancouver. It was on March 24 that she left Port Kembla for this Coast, so that she was virtually an even month on the voyage.

The Canadian Traveller arrived at Esquimalt yesterday morning and is being overhauled in drydock by the Victoria Machinery Depot. She sails on her next voyage to Australia on May 17.

No fireplace chimney should be less than 35 feet in height.

Reduces swelling of bruises and strains

It may be a sprained wrist or elbow—a bruised muscle—a strained tendon—

You cannot foresee it. But you can keep Sloan's always handy to relieve the pain.

Sloan's brings immediate comfort. It breaks up the congested and inflamed condition and restores normal circulation. Use Sloan's to guard from pain as you would an antiseptic to prevent infection. Your druggist has it.

Made in Canada

Sloan's Liniment—kills pain!

For rheumatism, bruises, strains, chest colds

TOLMIE BOUND NORTH FROM SAN FRANCISCO

The Victoria barkentine S. F. Tolmie is expected to show up in the Strait at any time now. The vessel left San Francisco for Vancouver at 8 a.m., April 21, and has now been five days on the voyage. On arrival at Vancouver it is expected that the vessel will be laid up for an indefinite period. She is manned largely by Victoria men, while her master is Capt. J. C. Stewart, also from this port. The Tolmie is returning via San Francisco from a voyage to Australia with lumber. Homeward she carried coal for the California port from Newcastle, N.S.W.

COLLEGIAN COMING FOR HARRISON LINE

Rithet Consolidated, Harrison Line agents in Victoria, have been advised that the steamer Collegian will be the next ship of that line to leave British ports for Victoria. The Defender is already en route, and is due here May 20. The Collegian is posted to sail from Liverpool with completed cargo May 19. She should arrive here by the end of June via Pacific Coast ports.

NEW YORK CURB

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)

Industrials	Bid.	Asked.
Acme Coal	21	53
Centrifugal	13	13¼
Checker Cab	97	93
Durant Del.	62½	94¼
Mesabi	5½	5¼
Stutz	14¼	13¾
Radio	3⅜	3⅞
Reo	14½	15¼
Tob. Prod. Ex.	9½	9[illegible]
Un. Profit Sher.	6½	6⅞
Un. Retail Candy	6⅝	3⅞
Cities Svc., com.	162	163½
Cities Svc., pfd.	63½	63¼
Cities Svc., Bkrs.	13	17
Oils		
Carib.	5¾	6
Federal	73	75
Gilliland	9	5½
Glenrock	1	3¼
Int. Pete.	20¾	21¼
Keystone Ranger	23	34
Marl. Mexico	2¼	2
Mexico Oil	1 1-16	1¼
Mutual Oil	12	13½
Noble Oil	21	21¼
Pennock	14	14¼
Ryan Cons.	9¼	9¾
Sapulpa	3⅜	3⅜
Salt Cr. Prod.	21⅝	23½
Salt Cr. Cons	11⅝	11⅝
Seaboard Oil	2⅝	2⅞
Texan Oil Land	27	30
Wilcox	7½	7¾
Mines		
Ariz. Globe	59	57
Butte & West	2½	2¾
Cal. Jerome	16	16¼
Candelabria	12	14
Cons. Copper	2⅝	2¼
Cresson	3¼	3⅝
Delores	1⅝	2
Eureka	15	20
Hecla	5¼	9¼
Hollinger	13⅝	15¾
Howe Sound	3⅝	3¼
Ind. Lead	39	37
J. V. Dev.	3⅝	3
Kerr Lake	2	3¼
Mason Valley	3¼	3¼
Ny. Porcupine	67	69
Nipissing	5⅝	5⅞
Ohio Cop.	35	36
Ray Herc.	1½	1⅝
Simons Lead	42	46
Success	49	50
Tack Hughes	1¼	1¼
Tuolomne	43	46
Un. Eastern	1 15-16	6
Un. Verde Ex.	27½	27¾
Wayne Coal	2½	2⅝

BELGIUM FLOATING LOAN

BRUSSELS, April 25.—Belgium is floating a loan of one million francs, the proceeds of which will be applied to the reconstruction of damage caused by the war. The nation's note circulation is now 6,858,000,000 francs.

There She Blows! Whalers Are Away!

With the departure of three whalers from Victoria yesterday, whaling in British Columbia waters entered upon another season. Three more vessels will leave port today, and by the end of the week the remaining two ships of the Consolidated Whaling Corporation's fleet will be at sea.

The whalers which left yesterday were the Blue, Capt. J. Anderson; the W. Grant, Capt. W. Heater; and the White, Capt. H. Anderson. Those leaving today will be the Black, Capt. W. Balcom; the Brown, Capt. C. Martinsen; and the Green. They will be sailing about 11 a.m. About the end of the week, the Orion, Capt. Sanson, and the St. Lawrence, Capt. F. Arveson, will leave.

All three of the company's stations, Rose Harbor and Naden Harbor, in the Queen Charlottes, and Kyuquot, on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, will be operated this Summer. The Blue and the Grant will be stationed at Naden Harbor, the White, the Black and the Orion, at Rose Harbor; and the Green and the Brown at Kyuquot. En route from Victoria, save in the case of the White, which goes direct to the whaling grounds, the vessels will call at Ladysmith or Nanaimo for coal.

STRIKE EFFECTS UNCERTAIN YET

UNIONS CLAIM TEN LINERS ARE HELD AT NEW YORK

Steamship Owners Announce Shipping Undisturbed—Strikers' Places Filled on Ships

NEW YORK, April 25.—Conflicting statements were made tonight on the result of the first day of the strike called by the I. W. W. Marine Transport Workers' Union.

The union's publicity committee announced that ten ocean-going steamships had been left without crews and that seamen were walking ashore irrespective of nationality or affiliation. Steamship owners and shipping board officials declared, however, the harbor's shipping was unhampered.

The real test of the strike is expected Saturday, the port's heaviest sailing day, when usually more than a score of large passenger liners and freighters put to sea.

Six liners were delayed today through the reported walkout of alien firemen, but their places were filled and the ships proceeded.

Delay also in the departure of a few coastwise craft was attributed by owners to freight differences and not the strike.

There have been no disturbances.

VICTORIA PILOT GETS HIGH PRAISE

SEATTLE MAN PAYS COMPLIMENT TO CAPT. BARBERIE

Pilot Boat Roved About at Night in Strait Seeking Inbound Steamer City of Vancouver

SEATTLE, April 25.—Enthusiastic praise of the daring of the North Pacific pilots who go to sea to assist vessels entering the Strait of Juan de Fuca was voiced here today by Neil Haig, veteran in the service of W. L. Comyn, recently transferred to Seattle from San Francisco who cited an experience in which the steamship City of Vancouver while approaching the strait at night was boarded by Capt. J. Berberie, of Victoria, British Columbia pilot, hours ahead of time in a small gasoline boat at first mistaken for an uncharted spar.

The City of Vancouver shifted to Tacoma today to begin loading a full cargo of lumber at Puget Sound and British Columbia ports for Australia.

The transpacific liner President Jackson left Yokohama for Seattle today with a full passenger list and a large cargo of freight according to brief advices reaching the Admiral-Oriental line.

Daudet, the French author, suppressed an edition of one of his latest books because he feared its influence on the youth.

Suffered So FROM HEART AND NERVES Life Was a Burden

Mr. H. A. Lee, Beamsville, Ont., writes:—"I am delighted to let you know what I have to say regarding the good Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills did me.

"A short time ago I suffered with heart and nerve trouble, and was so bad I could not sleep, only about two hours each night. My heart was so bad I had spells when driving on the road and would faint away, and neighbors would carry me in from my wagon. I also took these spells in the night and during my daily work on the farm. My nerves were so bad I would jump out of bed, and was then compelled to walk the floor before I could settle down again, but after taking a few boxes of

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I can honestly say I am a relieved man. I now feel in the best of health, in fact, the best I've been in for three years, and can do any class of work with pleasure where before life was a burden to me."

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POACHERS MADE RIFLE THREATS

Siloam, Seized on the West Coast, Answered Malaspina's Orders With Production of Gun

DEATH-LADEN VOLLEY WAS CRUISER'S REPLY

"I tried to Get Him to Stop," Says Dying Member of Crew of Seattle Halibut Vessel

COAL HARBOR, Quatsino, April 25.—"I tried to get him to stop." This was the dying declaration of the man, believed to be J. M. York, of Seattle, wounded to death when a volley of rifle fire was poured into the pilot house of the Seattle fishing schooner Siloam by the crew of the Canadian Fisheries patrol steamer Malaspina, Tuesday.

The halibut vessel was seized by the Malaspina about one-mile off Solander Island. When Capt. Holmes Newcombe, of the patrol boat, drew towards the American craft, the latter started off at full speed to sea leaving his trawl. The Malaspina followed and pulled alongside, ordering the fish boat to stop. This the master of the vessel, with bad language, refused to do.

Brought Rifle Out

Capt. Newcombe then fired two blank shells but no notice was taken. Live shells were then used and the water in front of the schooner was struck several times. On ranging alongside of him and demanding him to stop his schooner, a rifle was brought out by the captain of the schooner and pointed at Capt. Newcombe, but was pulled out of his hand by two other men.

Capt. Newcombe then ordered four men with rifles to stand ready and informed the captain of the schooner to stop or he would fire into the pilot house. This was again refused with bad language. A volley was then fired wide and another demand made with the same result. The order was then given to fire at the pilot house. The engine of the schooner then stopped and shouts came over that a man was wounded. After making fast Capt. Newcombe immediately started to get the wounded man aboard and during this time the four other men managed to scuttle the schooner and made off in the dory. A hawser was got aboard the schooner before it was discovered she was filling, but she finally went down.

The Malaspina made straight for the doctor at Quatsino, but the wounded man died on the way. It is believed his name is J. M. York. The last words he said were: "I tried to get him to stop." A coroner's inquest on the body is being held at Quatsino.

Victim Known in North

PRINCE RUPERT, April 25.—Jake Yorke, Seattle fisherman who died of wounds sustained in a fight with the Canadian fishing patrol Malaspina yesterday, was well known here. He frequently came to this port during last season from the northern fishing grounds.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

Ship Radio Reports

(By Canadian Government Wireless)
Positions at 8 o'Clock Last Night Unless Otherwise Specified

El Cedro, due Race Rocks, 26th. Victoria, 165 miles from Seattle, southbound. Canadian Volunteer, Ocean Falls from San Pedro, 190 miles from Flattery. Canadian Farmer, San Francisco for Victoria, 129 miles from Victoria. Canadian Inventor, bound Auckland, 940 miles from Flattery. E. D. Kingsley, Powell River for San Francisco, 370 miles from San Francisco. Ruth Alexander, San Francisco for Seattle, 329 miles from San Francisco.

Weather Reports, 6 P.M., April 25

Estevan—Clear; N.W. light; 30.00; 63; sea smooth.

Point Grey—Clear; calm; 30.06; 70; sea smooth.

Lazo—Clear; calm; 30.00; 59; sea smooth.

Alert Bay—Clear; W.; 30.19; 60; sea smooth.

Ocean Falls—Overcast; calm; 29.95; 63; sea smooth.

Bull Harbor—Clear; calm; 30.06; 54; light swell.

Dead Tree—Raining; calm; 29.79; 47, sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Raining; S.E. light; 29.86; 48; sea smooth.

Steamer Movements

ABERDEEN, April 25.—Arrived: Avalon, Hornet, San Francisco. Sailed: Gray's Harbor, San Francisco.

TACOMA, April 25.—Arrived: Stuart Dollar, Singapore via ports. Sailed: Nevado, Havre, via ports; Cordova, Alaska ports via Seattle.

Seattle, April 25.—Arrived: Northland, San Francisco; Tiger, Portland Pomona, Yokohama; Steel Scientist, Everett. Sailed: Philoctetes, Vancouver; Port Angeles, Port Angeles; Tokiwa Maru, Vancouver; Queen, Southeastern Alaska; Admiral Rodman, Port Angeles; Tsurushima Maru, Everett; Remus, Tacoma; Stuart Dollar, Tacoma; El Cicuta, San Pedro.

JUNEAU, April 25.—Sailed: Admiral Rogers, southbound.

EVERETT, April 25.—Arrived: City of Vancouver, Vancouver; Steel Scientist, Vancouver; Tsurushima Maru, Admiral Dewey, Seattle; Panaman, Tacoma. Sailed: Barbara C., Point Judith, Meriden, San Pedro; Charles R. McCormick, Steel Scientist, Seattle; Dewey, Vancouver.

PORTLAND, April 25.—Arrived: Rose City, Floridan, Puget Sound. Sailed: Oregonian, New York; Admiral Fiske, Motorship Theodore Roosevelt, Vancouver; Lillian Luckenbach, Puget Sound, Commercial

Pathfinder, Seattle; Wawalona, Manila.

San Francisco, April 25.—Arrived: Spain Maru, Gray's Harbor; Toba Maru, Hong Kong; Montgomery City, Tacoma; Helene, Aberdeen. Sailed: Multnoma, Portland; Manoa, Honolulu; Davenport, Griffdu, Seattle.

Arrived

NEW YORK, April 25.—Mongolia, Hamburg; Albania, London; Latanua, Copenhagen.

COPENHAGEN, April 15.—Frederick VIII, New York.

LISBON, April 21.—Asia, New York.

PIRAEUS, April 19.—Themistocles, New York.

KOBE, April 23.—President Grant, Seattle.

ADELAIDE, April 23.—Arcadia, Seattle.

SHANGHAI, April 24.—Diana Dollar, San Francisco; Spirita, San Francisco.

MELBOURNE, April 24.—West Jappa, San Francisco; Yone Maru, Seattle.

NEWCASTLE, N.S.W., April 25.—Waitopu, San Francisco.

YOKOHAMA, April 22.—Toyma Maru, Seattle.

Sailed

NEW YORK, April 25.—President Adams, London; Paris, Havre.

BUENOS AYRES, April 24.—Vauban, New York.

CHRISTIANIA, April 19.—Borga, San Francisco.

ANTWERP, April 25.—Dretchdeki, San Francisco.

SYDNEY, N.S.W., April 21.—Las Vegas, San Francisco.

CRISTOBAL, April 24.—British Light, David McKelvie, Los Angeles; Jason, San Pedro.

TIDES AT VICTORIA
APRIL, 1923

Day	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.
1	2:34	5.2	8:53	3.3	15:03	7.6	21:03	4.1
2	3:04	5.4	9:36	3.0	15:52	7.7	21:46	4.7
3	3:39	5.9	10:26	2.5	17:07	7.3	22:34	5.4
4	4:06	5.3	11:13	3.1	18:24	7.4	23:32	5.2
5	4:26	5.9	12:14	3.0	20:06	7.3		
6	0:14	5.3	9:04	3.3	13:12	2.1	22:36	7.6
7	1:15	7.3	3:26	5.0	14:13	2.3	23:02	7.3
8	2:29	7.3	5:09	7.7	16:12	2.7		
9	0:50	7.3					16:09	2.1
10	1:30	7.9					17:04	2.5
11	1:54	7.3	7:49	6.2	11:06	6.7	17:56	3.6
12	1:24	7.8	7:53	5.7	13:33	6.6	18:43	4.2
13	1:27	7.6	8:12	5.0	13:30	6.7	19:29	4.3
14	1:56	7.5	8:37	4.9	14:36	6.2	20:04	5.0
15	2:09	8.0	9:03	3.9	15:16	6.3	20:42	5.4
16	2:30	8.0	9:39	3.4	16:03	6.0	21:21	5.3
17	2:52	8.0	10:07	3.1	17:02	6.0	22:01	6.3
18	3:10	8.0	10:43	2.6	18:00	6.0	22:44	6.6
19	3:13	7.9	11:24	2.6				
20			2:59	8.0	12:00	2.4		
21			3:16	8.0	12:57	2.4		
22			3:54	8.0	13:46	2.4		
23			4:44	7.8	14:36	2.6	23:31	7.4
24	2:10	7.2	6:33	7.4	15:27	3.3	23:16	7.9
25	4:42	6.7	7:15	6.8	16:10	3.1	23:59	7.3
26	9:41	6.0	10:39	6.7	17:12	3.9		
27	0:06	7.3	6:30	5.1	12:01	6.8	18:04	3.9
28	0:22	5.1	7:14	4.1	13:13	6.6	18:54	4.4
29	1:03	5.3	7:57	3.0	14:14	7.3	19:43	4.6
30	1:33	2.6	8:39	3.1	15:14	7.3	20:31	5.5

The Time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The Height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower Low Water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any tide, add 18.9 feet to the height of High Water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of April, 1923.

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	5:54	6:40	16	5:20	7:05
2	5:52	6:42	17	5:18	7:06
3	5:49	6:44	18	5:15	7:08
4	5:47	6:46	19	5:14	7:09
5	5:44	6:48	20	5:13	7:10
6	5:42	6:50	21	5:11	7:12
7	5:40	6:51	22	5:09	7:13
8	5:37	6:53	23	5:08	7:14
9	5:35	6:54	24	5:06	7:16
10	5:33	6:56	25	5:04	7:17
11	5:31	6:58	26	5:02	7:18
12	5:29	6:59	27	5:01	7:20
13	5:27	7:00	28	5:00	7:21
14	5:24	7:02	29	4:58	7:22
15	5:22	7:03	30	4:57	7:24

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS
APRIL, 1923

China and Japan

President Grant—Mails close April 3, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 20, Shanghai April 25, Hong Kong April 28.

Hawaii Maru—Mails close April 12, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 27.

Empress of Asia—Mails close April 10, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 30, Shanghai May 4, Hong Kong May 10.

President Madison—Mails close April 20, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama May 3, Shanghai May 7, Hong Kong May 11.

Empress of Canada—Mails close May 3, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama May 14, Shanghai May 16, Hong Kong May 20.

Australia and New Zealand

Maunganui—Mails close April 16, 4 p.m. Via San Francisco. Due Wellington May 9.

Sonoma (Australia only)—Mails close April 21, 4 p.m. Via San Francisco. Due Sydney May 25.

Makura—Mails close April 23, 9 a.m. Direct. Due Auckland May 12.

Honolulu

April 1, 2, 3, 14, 15, 18, 21, 23, 29, 4 p.m. Via San Francisco.

April 3, 18, 4 p.m. Via San Pedro.

April 3, 27, 4 p.m. Via Seattle.

April 28, 9 a.m. Direct, per R.M.S. Makura.

SUGAR REACHES HIGH MARK IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, April 25.—Refined sugar was quoted at $10.25 per hundred pounds today by three local refiners, the highest prices since 1920.

Another Jump

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Sugar will make another upward jump tomorrow to $10.45 per hundred pounds for refined cane, according to announcement here by the California-Hawaiian and the Western Refineries. This will represent an advance of forty-five and forty cents respectively by the two firms.

BOILS Made Him Sick and Miserable

Mr. Richard Zalenzoski, McLean, Sask., writes:—"I had been suffering continuously with boils for three years, and during that time I tried many different remedies without any success whatever. In spite of all my efforts I was compelled to go to the hospital. That was in the Fall of the year, and right in the busiest time of the season. Upon my return home it just took about two weeks until my neck and arms were again occupied by the boils which made me feel very sick and miserable.

"One day one of my friends advised me to try Burdock Blood Bitters, and after I had used less than two bottles I was very much surprised at the result.

"It is now over two years since I got in touch with B. B. B., and I have had no bother with boils since. I will recommend it to all persons suffering from any defect in the blood."

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INCREASE PRODUCTION OF IRON AND STEEL

Record of Dominion for March Was Greater Than Any Month Since November, 1920

A report issued today by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics states that the production of pig iron during March was greater than the output of any month since November, 1920, and amounted to 65,297 long tons, an increase of 21,047 tons, or 47.6 per cent over the production in the preceding month. The March output was 30.6 per cent in excess of the monthly average for 1921, and was also 100.9 per cent above the average for 1922.

The production of basic pig iron in March was more than double the output in the preceding month and amounted to 55,008 tons. Foundry and malleable iron production, on the other hand, was considerably less than in February. The production of all grades of pig iron in March amounted to 65,297 tons, as compared with 44,250 tons in February.

The number of furnaces in blast was unchanged. During the month there were in operation three furnaces at Sydney, two at Hamilton, and two at Sault Ste. Marie.

Exports of ferro-silicon to the United States, which during 1921 had dropped much below the tonnage reported for the preceding year, increased appreciably during 1922, so much so, in fact, that the United States Treasury Department made an investigation and issued a finding under date of March 23, 1923, that ferro-silicon was being imported from Ontario into the United States in such volume and at such a price as injuriously to affect the ferro-silicon industry in that country.

The increase in the output of pig iron was reflected in a greater production of steel ingots and castings in Canada during March, when 89,088 long tons were produced, representing an advance of 91.4 per cent over the 46,537 tons made in the previous month. The output exceeded the average monthly production of the three previous years by 41.4 per cent. The cumulative production during the first quarter was 182,586 tons, as compared with 105,340 tons during the same period of the preceding year.

The ingot production in March consisted of 85,393 tons the whole of which was open-hearth basic steel intended for the further use of the producing firms. This tonnage represented an increase of 97.5 per cent over the output of 43,234 tons of the same grade made in the previous month. The production of steel castings also increased slightly from 3,303 tons in February to 3,695 tons. The principal grade in both months was the open-hearth basic steel, of which the greater portion was intended for sale.

The production of iron and steel in March was greater than in any previous month since November, 1920, and indicated substantial increases in all important departments. In the United States the March output of pig iron broke all previous records with a total of more than 3,500,000 tons, and the demand for steel was reported as being well sustained.

ONTARIO LIBERALS OPEN MEETINGS

TORONTO, April 25.—The executive of the Liberal Association of Ontario opened its meetings here today. The executive consists of one man and one woman from each riding in the Province, practically every riding from the Manitoba to the Quebec boundaries being represented. Ontario politics, in view of the approaching general election, were to be the main subjects of discussion.

To night there is a Liberal banquet at which the chief speakers will be Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Federal Minister of Marine and Fisheries and Wellington Hay, M.L.A., leader of the Ontario Liberal party.

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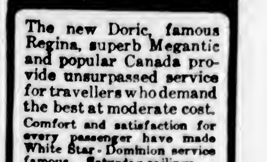

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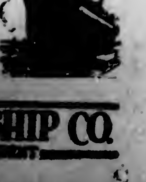

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